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### Town Warrant.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY,

STATE OF MAINE.

To A. R. Blaisdell, a Constable in the town of Corinna, County of Penobscot.

GREETING;

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Corinna, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in the Stewart Library Building, in said town on Monday, the 9th day of March, A. D., 1903. at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles. to wit:

- ART. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing.
- ART. 3. To choose three Selectmen.
- ART. 4. To choose three Overseers of the Poor.
- ART. 5. To choose three Assessors.
- ART. 6. To choose a Superintendent of Schools.
- ART. 7. To choose one or more members of the School board.
- ART. 8. To choose a Town Treasurer.
- ART. 9. To choose a Collector of Taxes, determine his compensation, or act on anything relating thereto.
- ART. 10. To choose a Road Commissioner, and determine his compensation for actual services.
- ART. 11. To choose one or more Trustees for the Stewart Library Building, or act on anything relating thereto.
- ART. 12. To choose all other Town Officers required by law to be chosen at the annual town meeting.
- $A_{RT}$ . 13. To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray town charges.
- ART. 14. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of the Poor.
- ART. 15. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of common schools.
- ART. 16. To see what sum of money the town will raise for instruction in a Free High School.
- ART. 17. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the maintenance of a Free High School, aside from instruction.
- ART. 18. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the purchase of school books.
- ART. 19. To see what sum of money the town will raise for repairs of school buildings, and for school supplies.
- ART. 20. To see what sum of money the town will raise to purchase books for the Stewart Free Library.

- ART. 21. To see what sum of money the town will raise to aid
  J. Knowles Post in paying the expenses of Memorial
  day.
- ART. 22. To see if the town will instruct the municipal officers to make application to the Secretary of State for State aid in building a road to be designated by the County Commissioners as State Road, and to see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended on said road.
- ART. 23. To see what sum of money the town will raise to expend on the Lincoln Bridge, and determine how the same shall be expended.
- ART 24. To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair roads and bridges in summer.
- ART. 25. To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended on winter roads from Feb. 20th 1903 to Feb. 20th 1904.
- ART. 26. To see what sum of money the town will raise to pay on the town debt.
- ART. 27. To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended in cutting and burning bushes along the highways, and how the sum shall be expended.
- ART. 28. To see what sum of money the town will raise to care for cemeteries, and determine how the same shall be expended.
- ART. 29. To see if the town will raise a sum of money to purchase a lot, and build a store-house thereon for the use of the town, and if so, how much, and whom it will authorize to locate and build said building, and expend said money.
- ART. 30. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to hire money when needed for current town expenses.
- ART. 31. To see what disposal the town will wote to make of the Town Farm for the ensuing year.

You will give notice that the Selectmen will be in session at their office in the Stewart Library Building, on the 9th day of March instant at eight o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Hereof fail not and have you there this Warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands this 20th day of Feb, A. D., 1903.

G. W. NUTTER, Selectmen
O. L. JONES,
J. B. ROSS,
Corinna.

A true copy. Attest.

A. R. BLAISDELL, Constable of Corinna.

The Municipal Officers of Corinna herewith submit their annual report for the fiscal year ending March 1st 1903

### Assessors' Department.

### AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED BY TOWN MARCH 10,

1902	
To defray town charges,	\$1600 00
For support of the poor,	600 00
" common schools,	936 00
"instruction in the high school,	$250\ 00$
" supplies and apparatus for high school,	100 00
" school books,	$260 \ 00$
" repairs of school buildings and school supplies,	100 00
"Stewart free library,	$50 \ 00$ .
"J. Knowles Post G. A. R.	25 00
" reparing roads and bridges in summer,	1500 00
"expending on roads in winter,	1000 00
"cutting bushes in the highway,	-150 00
" care of cemeteries,	100 00
Total	\$6671 00
VALUATION	, , , , , , ,
Resident Real Estate, \$303,860	)
Non "	)
4	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
Resident Personal Estate, \$66,502	\$332,610
Non " " 192	
	\$66,694

\$399,304

Total

#### AMOUNTS ASSESSED

Appropriations by the town,	\$6671 00
State tax,	1255 92
County tax,	610-60
Overlays,	321 56
Total	\$8859 08-
Amount assessed on Real and Personal estate,	\$7986 08
"       "       " 291 Polls at \$3 00,	873 00
Rate of taxation \$.02	

The above amount was duly committed to A. R. Blaisdell for collection on May 1st 1902.

G. W. Nutter) O. L. Jones J. B. Ross

### School Department

#### ORDERS DRAWN FOR TEACHERS.

1	-	SPRING TERM.	
Order	81.	Della Bemis in No. 5,	\$72 00
66	85.	Lilla Wood " " 7, Ass't in primary,	14 40
66	86.	Edna Emery " 7, grammar,	72 09
66	87.	Edith Burrill " " 6,	49 50
6.6	88.	Mrs. Rose Tibbetts 11,	-54 00
4.6	89.	L. Hattie Morton 7. primary,	81 00
6.6	90.	Grace Lane 8,	<b>54</b> 00
66	91.	Della Veazie 10,	$58\ 50$
6.6	92.	Evelyn Atkins 9,	49 50
			\$504-90
		FALL TERM.	
Order	204.	Mamie H. Trefethen in No. 4,	\$49.50

58 56

205. R. Mabel Houston " "

Order 206.	Grace Lane	in No. 6,	54 00
· 207.	Edna A. Emery	" " 7, gram	
· · 208.	L. Hattie Morton	" ", 7, prima	•
· 209.	Edna G. Lander	·· · · · 8,	51 75
· 210.	Evelyn A. Atkins	9,	49 50
" 211.	Della Veazie	" " 10,	58 50
" 212.	Mrs. Rose Tibbett	s " " 11,	. 54 00
223.	J. H. Winchester,	vocal music,	6 00
			\$543 75
	WINTER	TERM.	
Order 305.	Edith Blaisdell in	No. 9,	\$33 00
· 311.	Grace Lane "	6,	30 00
<b></b> *	Mamie H. Trefeth	en 4,	
" 315.	R. Mabel Houston	5,	63 00
" 316.	L. Hattie Morton	7, primary	81 00
" 317.	Edna A. Emery	7, grammar	81 00
" 318.	Fannie Burrill	8,	54 00
" 319.	Della Veazie	10,	63 00
" 320.	Mrs. Rose Tibbett	,	54 00
" 355.	Edith Blaisdell	, 5 <b>.</b>	22 00
" 342.	J. H. Winchester,	,	10 00
912.	9. 22		
			\$491 00
Total -			\$1539 65
ORDEF	RS DRAWN FOR CO	NVEYING SCHOL	ARS.
	SPRING (	TERM.	
Order 80.	Mrs Abbie Young to	No. 7,	\$6 30
	W. J. Bemis "		18 00
	W. H. Palmer "		29 25
95	Horace Dearborn "	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	27 00
	C. A. Cooley "	,	29 25
	Arthur Simpson '		24 50
	Israel Mc Clure "		4 00
1201		·	
			\$138 30
* Not sett	led.		

#### FALL TERM.

Order	179	Mrs Julia Dearborn	to No. 7,		\$13 65
	215	W. H. Palmer	""10	١,	29/25
	216	Horace Dearborn	""10	١,	29/25
	217	W. J. Bemis	""5,		$18 \ 00$
	218	W. H. Cole	" " 7,		$13\ 30$
	221	Israel McClure	""11	,	3 00
					\$106 45
		WINTER	TERM		
Order	300	H. H. Gray to No.	5		\$15 00
Order		·	7,		33 75
		Horace Dearborn to	,		33 75
			, ,, ,,		21 75
		W. J. Bemis	, ,, ,		18 00
		L. Veazie board of	9		1 50
		. H. Palmer to No.			$\frac{1}{3} \frac{30}{25}$
		F. E. Willey":	,,		1 00
		Frank Proctor to N	0.10		1 00
	303	Frank 1 foctor to N	0. 10,		1 00
					\$130 00
Total					\$374.75
	(	ORDERS DRAWN 1	FOR JANI	TORS.	,
	Ì	SPRING T			
Order	112.	Sidney Folsom, i			\$4 00
Order	112.	FALL TI			that OO
Order	213.	Sidney Folsom, i		rammar	\$3 00
66	214.	Wilbur Ireland,			3 00
	-1	THE RECEIVE	• • • •		
					\$6 00
		WINTER 7	TERM.		
Order	325.	Mamie H. Trefet	hen, in No	. 4	\$2 25
6.6	327.	Ralph Crowell	66	6	$2 \ 25$
44	328.	Willie Tasker	46	7 prima	ry 3 00
4.4	329.	Claude Day	44	7 gramı	nar 3 00
66 _	330.	Geo. Lander		8	2 25
					1

Order 331. Leon Mason " 9	1 50
" 332. Elwyn Trickey " 10	2 25
" 333. Freda Burgess " 11	2 25
" 334. J. Atwood Cain " 5	2 00
	\$20 <b>7</b> 5
Total	\$30 75
ORDERS DRAWN FOR FUEL.	
Order 15 D. C. Lyford wood for No. 7	\$10 00
16"""""5	10 50
35 E. S. Knowles hauling wood	4 75
337"" " sawing and hauling wood	9 50
344 P. M. Hall wood for No. 5	11 25
379 Lewis Puffer " " 6	5 25
	A*4 0*
	<b>\$</b> 51 25
COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.	
DR.	
To amount raised by vote of the town	\$936 00
Interest on School fund note	70 50
State school fund and Mill tax	842 61
from Exeter for tuition	26 00
"Dexter " "	40 40
Unexpended Mar. 1st 1902	190 18
	\$2105 69
CR.	
	# * * * O O O * *
By amount paid Teachers	\$1539 65
" for Conveyance " "Janitors	374 75
" " Fuel	30 75
" " Fuel	51.25
	\$1996 40

#### SCHOOL BOOK ACCOUNT.

DR.						
To amount appropriated by the town	\$2.60					
CR.						
By orders drawn for school books as fo	llows:					
Order 55 American Book Co. purchased i						
<del>-</del>	56 55					
" 190 Allen Totman Co. "	· · 1902 1 10					
" 267 American Book Co. "	4 80					
" 268 Ginn & Co.	5 70					
" 569 Boston School Supply Co.	6 88					
" 270 Smith & Sale	2 25					
" 284 J. H. Winchester express on bo	oks 7 50					
" 306 Educational Publishing Co.	2 00					
" 307 E. E. Babb & Co.	51 65					
" 310 American Book Co.	6.00					
" 312 Ginn & Co.	8 77					
" 349 Boston School Supply Co.	4.95					
" 350 D. C. Heath & Co.	4 17					
" 351 Silver, Burdette & Co.	48 60					
	\$278 27					
	क्र 2 1 0 2 1					
Overdrawn	\$18 27					
REPAIRS ON SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND SCH	OOL SUPPLIES					
DR.						
Amount appropriated by the town	\$10.00					
Unexpended Mar. 1st 1902	77 09					
Total	\$177 09					
CR.						
By Orders drawn as follows.						
Order17 E. S. Knowles cleaning school rooms	\$19.00					
reputing	Tepatiting 0.30					
150 Allen M. Knowles supplies 158 Eldridge Bros. windows and boards	5 84 43 93					
191 J. L Hammett and Co érasers 1 00						

Orde	r 195	F. E. Knowles brooms	5 40
	203	E. S. Knowles repairing school rooms	33 80
	258	H. L. Barrill zinc, dampers etc.	1 07
	260	Corinna Telephone Co. messages	1 67
	277	J. E Gray material for repairs	8 82
	293	H. J. Goulding crayons	5 00
	294	F. E. Day paint, paper and furniture	12 58
	336	E. S. Knowles repairing	6 25
	352	American Crayon Co. crayons	1 32
	353		1 00
	Llew	vellyn Barton teachess registers	2 03
			<b>****</b> ***
			\$155 21
Unex	penae		\$21 88
		HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.	
		DR.	
To a	· ·	at appropriated by the town for instruction	250 00
10 a	110111	• • •	200 00
••		supplies	400.00
		and apparatus	. 100 00
	4.4	received from the State	125 00
66	66	" C. U. Academy	$605 \ 38$
66	66	unexpended Mar. 1st, 1902	125 60
4.6	66	due from the State	125 00
		_	
			1330 98
		• CR.	
	By or	rders drawn as follows:	
		SPRING TERM.	
Orde	. 13	F. W. Halliday, teaching	\$100 00
orde.		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	48		233 34
	61	Ralph Redman, janitor	8 25
66	67	Hughes & Son Co. rent of piano	33 00
66	69	G. C. Furber, printing programmes etc.	8 00
66	74	L. F. Ireland, wood	3 00
66	75	" " cash paid for printing cata	ļ. <b>~</b>
		logues	20 00
		105,400	20 00

Order 76	L. F. Ireland, eash paid for printing posters	1 50
	\ \	\$407 09
	FALL TERM.	
Order 194	L. Hutchins, electrical machine	22 00
" 232	Cleveland Publishing Co., diplomas	12 50
" 234		350 00
" 235	Arthur W. Hall Co., chemicals	20 44
" 237	Delbert M. Dwelley, janitor	4 87
" 252	R. W. Redman	75
340	Wilbur Thompson "	2 62
	,	<b>\$</b> 413.18
	WINTER TERM.	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Order 361	N. P. Sipprelle, filling diplomas	<b>\$</b> 1.50
" 380	L. B. Hatch, wood	27 50
" 393	F. E. Briggs, teaching	350 00
" 394	L. F. Ireland, express etc.	1 35
399	E. E. Knowles, sundry supplies	1 89
" 444	Delbert Dwelley, janitor	8 25
		\$390 49 ———
Total		\$1210 76
- 1	Inexpended	\$120 22
SUMMARY	OF ORDERS DRAWN FOR THE DEPARTMENT.	SCHOOL
Support of	common schools	\$1996 40
		1210 76
School boo	ks	278 27
Repairs an	d supplies	155 21
	n •	\$3640 64

### Highway Department.

#### WINTER ROADS.

ORDERS	DRAWN FOR	LABOR	ON THE	HIGHWAY	TO APR.	IST	1902
Order 8	C. A. Cool	ey and ot	thers				\$4 55

	12	C. H. Trask	1 9,9
	18	Winfield Frost and others	3 22
	21	C. T. Merrill	4 20
part	22	Almon Lawrence and others	15 67
-	23	D. M. Sawtell	2 32
	24	J. M. Katen	2 60
	26	F. L. Titcomb	50 00
	28	I. R. Shorey	4 96
	33	Israel Dearborn and others	8 55
	40	E. H. Martin	4 40
	41	Abner Brooks	2.85
	44	Wm. Thompson and others	7 04
	0.5	D.M. Hall	·

T T	Will: Thompson and others	1 0+
65	P.M. Hall	. 97
66	Chas. Rollins ashing sidewalk	1 50
125	J. A. Cain	3 05
1 (1-)	Donal Marian	

167	I. M. Barker and others	11 25
174	U. G. Veazie	7 00
228	W. B. Thurston	2 35
250	Irving E Shorey	3 00
390	J. B. Tibbetts	4 40
392	C. L. Jones	5 77
455	C. J. Trickey	6 85

\$163 54

3 35

ORDERS DRAWN FOR LABOR ON THE HIGHWAY FROM DEC.1ST TO FEB. 2D 1903.

P. H. Simpson

O

order 309 F. M. Burton	11 31
357 W. J. Hall	6 30
367 J. W. Bemis	3 15
387 F. A. Sawtell and others	7 55.
397 S. R. Brown	11 91
403 U. G. Veazie " "	18 00
408 I. R. Shorey " "	14-96
410 F. L. Weed " 4 "	23 42
412 Irving Shorey	9 00
413 Stephen Lincoln	7 17
415 C. C. Knowles	2 62
417 E. S. Knowles	8 72
418 W. H. Snell Jr.	12 00
419 A. W. Lander	11 70
420 L. B. Hatch	11 68
422 H. L. Frost	28 36
423 J. B. Ross	7 21
424 C. C. Crowell	10 87
425 P. M. Hall	9 44
426 I. M. Barker	18 72
427 J. H. Shepard	17 65
429 J. M. Katen	10 67
430 O. T. Percival	6 80
431 E. M. Atkins	6 52
432 A. H. Emery	16 85
433 E. L. Sevey	10 60
435 I. M. Bates	7 35
436 F. E. Willey	23 44
437 Walter Hayden	15 90
439 W. H. Welch	17 88
440 Lewis Puffer	25 20
441 Horace Dearborn	$23\ 27$
442 Erank Willey	9 79
443 W. P. Mower	21.46
450 Almon Lawrence	25/14
453 G. A. Tibbetts	8 85
454 C. J. Trickey	9 60
459 F. M. Burton	$14\ 55$
460 Wm. Thompson	19 76
462 Abner Brooks	8 05
466 P. H. Simpson	6.25
469 O. W. Ireland	3 82
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#### SUMMER ROADS.

#### ORDERS DRAWN ON HIGHWAY ACCOUNT FROM APR. 1, TO DEC. 1.

Order 11	H. J. Seavey					<b>\$</b> 3 00
22	Almon Lawrence	and	others			10 00
25	S. L. Crowell	4.6	6.6	on	culverts	6 75
29	I. R. Shorey	6.6	6.6			6 00
31	C. T. Merrill	44	4.6			$16 \ 22$
A 31	G. B. Randall					2.00
32	Lyford Robinson					2 10
A 32	F. M. Burton					8 30
34	Israel Dearborn	6.6	4.4			3 84
38	J. B. Ross	4.6	66			11 16
39	I. R. Shorey	4.4	6.6			4 00
42	Abner Brooks		"			14 67
43	J. M. Katen	4.4	6.6			13 50
45	Geo. Libby	4.4	66			7 30
46	W. J. Bemis					3 50
51	Omer Southard					$2\ 25$
52	Chas. Trask					7 27
54	Clarence Hinton					4 50
56	P. M. Hall					10 00
57	S. K. Brown					11 66
58	Stephen Whitman					4 50
59	H. H. Gray					1 50
60	C. Hinton					7 20
64	Tim Shaw					4 35
68	P. M. Hall					41 20
71	G. A. Tibbetts, tear	m on	machin	e		53 20
72	A. Boyington and o	thers				10 10
- 79	Wm Jones					3 50
83	S. Whitman					2 25
84	Fred Weed "	44"				10 40
93	C. C. Crowell "	66				14 30
97	C. Hinton					1 20
100	Chas. Trask					15 15
102	C. L. Dearborn					11 23

Or	day 10	4 Frank Burton	6 40
O1		6 P. M. Hall	32 67
	109	Joe Williams and team on machine	105 70
	110	Almon Lawrence	$\frac{103}{2} \frac{10}{80}$
		J. Williams	21 00
		G. W. Nutter cash paid to others	5 80
		Geo. Shepherd	$\frac{3}{2}\frac{30}{40}$
		Everett Tibbetts	1 20
		S. L. French plank for bridges	50 50
		J. A. Cain	3 32
	128		9 50
	130	J. F. Lyford split granite for bridges	8 00
	131	L. A. Ireland	7 30
	134	S. F. Lyford split granite for bridge	8 00
	135	Fred Weed	12 00
	140	J. Williams and team on machine	45 50
	142	C. A. Cooley and others	7.50
	143	Frank Hollis	3 15
	144	P. M. Hall	3 75
	145	G. A. Tibbetts, team on machine	7 20
	146	Gordon Dunham	13 25
	152	W. P. Folsom	6 00
	153	P. M. Hall	20 20
	154	C. M. Page, rent of Derrick	6 00
	155	Wm. Thompson and others	20.76
	156		9.79
	157	G. W. Nutter	9-30
	160	Alfred Smith	5 25
	161	Hiram Lawrence	3 55
	163	Frank Mason	3 30
	165	Israel Dearborn	60
	166	I. M. Barker and others	$18 \ 50$
	168	A. W. Lander	19 00
	169		7 45
	170	Chas. Trask	11 10
	171	W. H. Mower	11 25
	175	II G Venzie	7 90

Orde	r 177	E. M. Atkins	6.0
	180	P. M. Hall	50 0
	182	E. L. Dearborn	2 4
	183	W. B. Thurston	6.0
	185	Cutler Emerson	1 5
1	187	O. F. Weymouth	2 0
	188.	Lewis Nutter and others	2 2
		H. B. Rackliff	16 0
	193	G. W. Nutter	43 5
	196	Almon Lawrence	$20 \ 0$
	251	Irving E. Shorey	2.00
	253	F. H. Crowell	21.50
	256	H. L. Burrill sharpening tools etc.	9 9
	259	C. L. Pulsifer	90
	263	G. A. Tibbetts plank for crossings	7 50
	264	W. A. Smith " " "	4 50
	266	Lewis Hutchins repairing R. machine	6 80
	276	J. E. Gray nails and iron bridge rails	6 50
	286	I. M. Bates labor on bridge and highway	62 98
	288	Wm. H. Snell	910
	296	W. H. Welch plank for Vil. bridge	19 10
	297	I. M. Barker hauling plank for Vil. bridge	7.00
	198	F. L. Harmon	17.78
	200	H. A. Bigelow labor and gravel	18 10
	201	Chas. Lander	9 25
	219	J. M. Katen	6 37
	220	L. Mason and others	30 25
	226	W. H. Welch	55 48
	227	Clara E. Lincoln split granite	5 00
	229	Chas. Tewksbury	6 00
	230	A. R. Blaisdell	47 05
	231	N. R. Packard	6 25
	233	C. H. Rollins	1 20
	236	J. H. Baker	4 50
	238	S. R. Brown	36 18
	240	C. W. White	1 50
	247	C. T. Merrill and others	10 00

301 Walter F. Hayden	, 4 54
303 Granville Hayden	3 07
313 L. B. Moody	11 65
343 C. C. Knowles hauling granite etc.	13 00
345 John Mc Pherson "gravel"	10 00
346 O. L. Jones stringers for bridge etc.	12 45
347 Stephen Lincoln	15 60
354 R. S. Knowles labor on bridge	35 00
386 Horace Bigelow & others	4 50
388 Mark Bond	1 80
391 J. B. Tibbetts	$13 \ 15$
414 Stephen Lincoln granite rock	5 00
428 John Shepherd	22 00
434 E. L. Sevey	6 35
438 Lewis Puffer	8 40
449 J. B. Ross	9 00
457 T. F. Burrill	5 22
468 O. W. Ireland	4 70
470 C. L. Dearborn	4 00
Total	\$1596 10
THE ABOVE FIGURES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWIN	vg.
Amount expended on the White bridge	\$146 00
Granite for Lincoln bridge on the spot	120 00
Plank for Vil. bridge	45 00
HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.	
WINTER ROADS	
DR.	
To amount expended Feb. 20th 1902	\$344 82
" appropriated by the town	1000 00
	1344 82
CR.	
By amount paid for labor to Apr. 1st 1902	\$163 54
" from Dec. 1st to Feb. 20 1903	$548\ 69$
	\$712 23
Unexpended	<b>\$6</b> 32 59

#### SUMMER ROADS

DR.

To amoun	t appropriated by t		<b>\$1</b> 500 00
		CR.	
•	t expended from A <sub>1</sub>	or. 1st to Dec. 1s	
Overdraw:	n		\$96 10
	HIGHWAY B	USH ACCOUNT.	
		DR.	
To amoun	t appropriated by t	he town	\$150 00
		cr.	
By Oı	ders drawn as follo	ows:	
Order 105	Frank Burton cu	tting bushes	\$4 53
141	C. A. Cooley and	others	6 00
164	Israel Dearborn '		15 00
173	U. G. Veazie "	"	$35\ 00$
176	E. M. Atkins		12 50
262	F. H. Crowell and	lothers	27 45
283	Wm. Thompson		2 25
285	David Dearborn		8 25
298	I. M. Barker		1 20
302	Walter Hayden		1 58
326	Chas. Clark		3 00
362	H. W. White		2 00
370	F. L. Titcomb		3 50
398	S. R. Brown		10 50
421	C. T. Merrill		1 65
			\$134 41
Unexpende	ed		\$15 59
•		NG TUBS.	
Order 30	Elizabeth Winches	ter for 1901	\$3 00
239	C. F. Parkman	" 1902	3 00
	Emily A. Weymou		3 00
	Stephen Lincoln	" "	3 00
409	I. R. Shorey	",	3 00
448	J. E. Gray	", ",	3 00
110	5. 2. O. Tuly		

463	Abner Brooks	,,	,,	3 00
471	C. L. Dearborn	,,	,,	3 00
474	Elizabeth Winchester	, ,,	,,	3 00
475	Geo. Adams	,,	,,	3 00
				\$30 00

#### SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN IN THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Expended on winter roads	\$712 23
" summer "	1596 10
" " bush account	134 41
Support of watering tubs	30 00
,	
Total	\$2472 74

# Department of Overseers of the Poor

#### SUPPORT OF THE POOR AWAY FROM THE FARM.

			JOHN J.	BLAISDELL.	
Order	6 N	Iaine Ins	ane Hospita	al	\$34 34
4.6	77				32.86
4.6	151	66 66			32.86
46 .	271		"	burial expenses	35 14
					\$135 20
			FRANK	MOODY.	
Order	111	Town o	f Wellingto	on, medical attendance	\$46 97
68	358			" and clothes	$22\ 51$
					5.00.10
					\$69 48
			ERNEST (	COUILLARD.	
Order	116	Samuel	Lander, boa	ard and clothing	\$24 00
- "	274			44	19 50

\$43 50

#### JOHN H. DEARBORN.

JOHN H. DEARBORN.	
Order 249 G. W. Nutter, cash paid for supplies	\$5 00
" 395 E. E. Knowles, shoes	2 00
,	\$7 00
JOHN CAMPBELL.	
Order 272 G. W. Hilliker, cash paid for burial expenses	\$28 50
J. W. H. NICKERSON AND FAMILY.	
Order 385 Town of Dexter small pox expenses	\$300 00
Total	\$583 68
SUPPORT OF THE POOR ON THE FARM.	
то макен 1st 1903.	
Sarah Babb, 52 weeks at \$1 50	<b>\$7</b> 8 00
Mary Harmon 52 weeks at \$2 00	104 00
	\$182 00
MISCELLANEOUS BILLS FOR THE POOR.	φ102 00
	.b.1. 0.0
Order 396 E. E. Knowles, clothing for Sarah Babb  404 O. H. Bachelder sundries " " "	\$1 00 2 00
Total O. II. Dachener sundres	2 00
ı	× \$3 00
A. W. LANDER.	
CR.	
March 1, 1902. Balance due to date	\$47 50
By board and care of Sarah Babb	78 00
Mary Harmon	104 00
	\$229 50
DR.	
To Cash on Order No. 19 \$22 25	
21 9 09	
240 20 00	
rent of Town Farm 90 00	
\$187 00	
	\$187 00
Balance due Mar. 1, 1903	<b>442.70</b>
Manufacture and same at the sa	\$42 50

#### SUPPORT OF THE POOR ACCOUNT.

DR.

Amount raised by the town	\$600 00
Rec'd from relatives of J. J. Blaisdell, burial expenses	35 14
" State, burial expenses of John Campbell	28 50
" for rent of Town Farm	90 00
	753 64
CR.	
By amount paid A. W. Lander	187 00
" " for clothing etc.	3 00
" " for support of Poor away from farm	583 68
	773 68
Overdrawn	20 04
SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN FOR THE POOR.	
Poor away from the Town Farm.	583 68
Poor on the farm	100 00
	683 68

## Selectmens' Department

#### MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

2 00
2 00
00
3 00
7 00
5 00
7 50
8 87
2 50

Orde	r 172	Wm. A. Copeland election clerk	1 50
	184	Everett Hutchins ballot clerk	1 50
	199	C. Ordway sheep killed by dogs	3 00
	224	L. M. Thompson sheep killed by dogs	2 50
	244	G. W. Young """	2 50
	245	A. L. Hayden """""	5 00
	248	G. W. Nutter recording inventory	8.00
-	261	W. I. Burrill services as moderator	2 00
	282	J. E. Gray postage paid	65
	308	G. C. Furber printing town reports, bill	
		heads etc.	40 50
	338	Royal Quimby ballot clerk	1 50
	411	E. P. Ireland driving hearse	28 50
	416	F. L. Redman returning births & deaths	5 00
	446	J. E. Gray recording vital statistics	6 90
	464	Abner Brooks ballot clerk	1 50
. 1,	473	Allen M. Knowles postage etc.	3 09
1.5	479	G. W. Nutter cash paid on sundry bills	11 85
	481	F. L. Redman services on board of health	n 45 45
	482	J. A. Tabor " " " " "	13 00
	485	G. W. Nutter postage	584
	486	A. R. Blaisdell posting warrants	. 2 00
ومعترية	£. 3		
Total			\$299 65
		TOWN OFFICERS.	
Order	98	Allen M. Knowles, Supt. of Schools	30 00
	149		20 00
Y - 1	192		15 00
	447	J. E. Gray, services as town clerk and treasu A. R. Blaisdell, percentage for collecting 190	
	401	tax in full	177 18
	472	Allen M. Knowles, balance in full for services	211 10
8.7		as Superintendent	35 00
	480	J. B. Ross, services as Selectman	35 00
	483 484	A. R. Blaisdell, Truant Officer	6 00
	487	O. L. Jones, services as Selectman G. W. Nutter " " and	55 15
	2.07	bookkeeper	87 70
		The second secon	\$501 03
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#### TOWN FARM BILLS.

Order	103	C. L. Dearborn, fertilizers		$19\ 25$
6.6	178	G. W. Nutter, pump		$3\ 50$
64	257	H. L. Burrill, nails, etc.		1 49
4.6	281	J. E. Gray, glass etc.		78
4.6	335	Clarence Campbell, shingles		5 60
	375	A. W. Lander, shingling, etc.		2 50
6.6	405	O. H. Bachelder, grass seed		8 15
				41 27

#### LIBRARY BUILDING.

Order 1	D. C. Lyford wood	\$56 00
( 5 .	J. H. Winchester Librarian & Janitor	25 00
10	C. T. Miller wood	1 90
14	J. H. Winchester salary for Mar.	25 00
63	Roby White wood	17.50
~ 78	J. H. Winchester salary	$50 \ 00$
101	Cutler Emerson wood	4200
117	J. H. Winchester salary	25 00
118	" " postage & express on bo	oks 2 80
119	" " sundry items	295
132	George Crowell making bulletin board	1 00
133	J. H. Winchester salary	25.00
136	G. C. Furber stationary	4 50
137	" " printing library ca.ds	4 00
138	J. H. Worthen wood	$42\ 00$
147	J. H. Winchester salary	25  00
181		25 00
197	O. L. Jones wood	20 00
225	J. H. Winchester salary for Oct.	25~00
254	" "	25 00
255	H. L. Burrill lawn mower & sharpening	7 50
279	J. E. Gray labor reparing radiators	3.68
395	F. E. Day brushes & oil for floors	4 30
- 299	J. H. Winchester salary	$25\ 00$
364	" for Jan.	25 00
365	F. J. Barnard & Co. binding books	25.59

Order 366	Smith & Anthony Co. radiator sections	4	96
872	J. H. Winchester cash paid for sundries	3	12
389	Mark Bond wood & police services	8	00
402	L. F. Ireland electric lights	115	87
445	J. E. Gray sundry items	2	47
452	T. F. Burrill water supply	15	00
478	II. J. Goulding floor wax & duster	3	20
		\$688	34
	CR.		
By eash re	ed. for rent of Hall	\$152	50
66 66	" " " Offices	35	90
66 66	" library cards & fines	13	75
	" Ashes	5	00
		\$206	$\frac{}{25}$
	LIBRARY BOOK ACCOUNT.		
	DR.		
To Amt. u	nexpended Mar. 1st 1902	\$21	40
	sed by the town		00
" " Rec	ed. from the State	43	94
		<b>\$11</b> 5	34
	CR.		
Order 120	J. H. Winchester paid for books	\$3	40
159	Penn Pub. Co.	8	18
359	Werner S. Book Co.	2	80
360	Ginn & Co.	7	$\bf 52$
363	E. F. Dillingham	76	82
371	J. H. Winchester paid for books	5	21
	0	<b>\$</b> 103	93
Unexpende	ed	\$11	41

#### CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

	DR.	
To amount	raised by the town	\$100 00
	CR.	
Order 124	L. S. French lumber for cemetery fences	<b>\$</b> 13 00
139	John Bigelow painting " "	
	at Center	16 00
148	E. A. Fernald, mowing cemetery	2 00
186	Cutler Emerson, care of Nutter cemeter	y 4 00
202	Chas. Lander, hauling lumber from mill	3 15
222	Israel McLure, care of Week's cemeter	y 2 00
243	G. Tompkins, labor on Village cemeter	y
	fence .	$5\ 25$
265	L. Hutchins, planing rails and posts	5 75
272	G. W. Nutter and others labor on Villag	e
	cemetery fence	18 00
278 280	J. E. Gray, wire and paint on Village	
	cemetery	8 34
		\$77.49
Unexpended		\$22 51
	nd rails on hand all planed and bored for	
	use, valued at \$12 00	ractire
	ABATEMENT OF TAXES.	
	TO A. R. BLAISDELL, COLLECTOR.	
Ondon 9 C	tanley Burrill poll tax paid in N. H.	\$3 00
	E. Buxton " " " Stetson	3 00
	V. H. Welch " " " " "	3 00
· ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
		9 00
Order 461 (	C. A. Greenwood, tax on mill	50 00
1	Lovina White error	24
F	Sewell, poll tax paid in Carmel	3 00
1	Daniel Blanchard " " Exeter	3 00
F	. B. Shaw, age	3 00
. E	dward Hatch paid in LaGrange	3 00

3 00

E. E. Nickerson, sick, unable,

H. W. Eastman paid in Mass.	3 00
W. L. Davis, left town	3 00
W. L. Reeves paid in Bradford	3 00
Elbridge Pratt poverty	3 00
1	\$77 24
Total	\$86 24
INTEREST BEARING ORDERS PAID.	
Order 323 of 1901 Christian Social Circle	\$100 00
47 " 1902 Mrs. Hannah M. Nutt	175 00
Part 268 4 1901 Mary M. Burrill	4 13
242 " Abner Brooks	100 00
242	100 00
Part 521 " 1902 Mary A. Seavey	$50 \ 00$
62 G. W. Nutter	75 00
	\$604 13
INTEREST PAID ON ORDERS.	
Order 53 Christian Social Circle on order 323 of 190	1 \$5 07
part 242 Mary M. Burrill " " 268 " "	4 17
275 Hannah M. Nutt " "47 " 190	2 3 67
289 Sarah P. Dodge " " 527 " "	32 93
373 Mary E. Nickerson " " 351 " "	10 73
376 Ida M. Page " " 127 " 190	0 23 70
378 W. S. Page " "129 & 131 of	
1900 & No. 57 239 & 84 of 1901	
384 W. S. Page on order No. 9 of 1902	49 87
400 G. W. Nutter on "59 of 1901 & No. 561	267
of 1902	28 93
406 Abner Brooks on No. 242 of 1900	6 33
407 " " " " 1901	3 70
456 Mary A. Seavey on No. 521 of 1902	$41\ 52$

				27	
part	476	On	ier S	Southard on No. 535 of 1902	6 00
	488	G.	W.	Nutter " " 62 " "	4 60
					\$193 89
			О	UTSTANDING ORDERS.	
Nov.	20. 1	1902.	No	. 241 Mary M. Burrill	\$100.00
Jan.	,	903,		_	400 00
		"	. 6	291 " "	300 00
	٠.	6.	"	292 " " "	250 00
Feb.	11	44	66	374 Mary E. Nickerson	300 00
44	66	44	"	377 Ida M. Page	300 00
6.6	66	44	66	381 W. S. Page	335 00
6.6	4.6	44	4.6	382	400 00
6.6	66	66	44	383 " " "	100.00
Feb.	16	66	66	401 G. W. Nutter	700.00
"	20	66	66	458 Mary A. Seavey	238 00
66 9	21	4.6	66	477 Omer Southard	200 00
_	24	66	66	490 G. W. Nutter	100 00
Feb.	24 1	902	66	255 Harriet M. Briggs	307 00
June (		66	4.6	73 Hattie A. Cooley	150 00
Oct. 1		44	66	218 " " "	500.00
Apr. a		8	"	58 Elsie Knowles	27 57
Intere	st be	aring	del	ot	\$4707 57
SUMM	ARY	OF (	ORD	ERS DRAWN FOR THE SEL	ECTEMN'S
				DEPARTMENT	,
Miscell	aneon	ıs Exr	ense	· es	\$299 65
Town (		_	JULIS	7.5	501 03
Town 1	Farm				41 27
Library					688 34
~ "	Bool	KS			103 93
Cemete Abatem					77 49
Aoatem Interes					-86 24 193 89
2.100100					100 00

\$1991 84

#### SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN BY DEPARTMENTS.

School Department	\$3640 64
Highway Department	2472 74
Overseers of Poor Department	683 68
Selectmen's "	1991 84
	\$8788 93
Outstanding orders paid	\$604 10
Amt. of orders turned over by Treasurer	\$9393 03
LIABILITIES.	
Outstanding Orders	\$4707 57
Interest due on Orders	40 00
Bal. due for support of Poor on farm	42 50
Due Miss Trefethen teaching in No. 4	49 50
	\$4839 57
RESOURCES	
Cash in the Treasury	\$1549 41
Due from the State for High school	125 00
" Exeter for tuition	26 00
" Office rent in Library Bailding	25 00
Town Farm Property	1200 00
Alfred Chase farm	250 00
Road machine Plows etc.	100 00
	\$3275 41
Current Liabilities	\$1564 16
G. W. Nutter, Selectmen O. L. Jones of	

I have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen and W. B. Gould Auditor. find them correct.

J. B. Ross

Corinna

I wish to thank my fellow townsmen for the favors shown me during the past three years and tostate that I am not a candidate for re-election. G. W. Nutter.

### Treasurer's Report

J. E. Gray, Treasurer in account with the town of Corinna for the year ending March 1st, 1903.

DR.

	DM.		
To cash on	hand from last year,	\$940	39
amount	of school fund note,	1,174	93
	received of W. S. Page, money hired	100	00
	Hannah M. Nutt	175	09
	G. W. Nutter " " "	175	00
	Hattie A. Cooley "	150	00
	W. S. Page Auctioneer's		
	Licence	2	00
	State Treasurer, dog licence		
	fees refunded	60	06
	Corinna Union Academy	605	38
	State for free high school	375	00
	Town Clerk, dog licence fees	80	00
	Trustees Stuart Library Build	d-	
	ing	220	37
	J. W. Johonnett, tuition	2	<b>75</b>
	Town of Dexter, "	67	40
	" " Ripley "	43	
	" " Exeter, highway ac	_	
	count	25	00
	State on account of free librar	y 43	94
	David Blaisdell, on account of	-	
	J. Blaisdell	35	14
	State for sheep killed by dogs	s 15	<u>50</u>
	" " burial of soldier	28	

To amt. recd. of state School fund and mill tax		842.61
" Railroad and telegraph tax		33 79
. From sale of personal prope	erty	7
of A. Chase		8 25
A. R. Blaisdell, Collector 1	902	2
tax in full	8,	859 08
of F. W. Hayden's note		$20\ 00$
-		
\$	14.	,083 89
CR.		
By amount paid on orders drawn	<b>\$</b> 9,	393 03
County tax in full		610 60
State tax in full	1,	255 92
State Treasurer, dog licence fees		80 00
F. W. Hayden's note		$20 \ 00$
School fund note	1,	174 93
Cash on hand	1,	549 41
•		

\$14,083 89

Respectfully submitted,
J. E. Gray, Treasurer.

## Librarian's Report

#### TO THE TRUSTEES OF STEWART FREE LIBRARY.

Gentlemen:— The fourth annual report of the Stewart Free Library showing its condition and increase since Mar. 1st 1902, is respectfully submitted to your Board.

There have been 43 new cards written making a total of 784.

There has been collected for fines \$10.81, out of town cards, \$2.00 replacing one book mutilated by patron 84cts. Total \$13.65

#### CONDITION OF LIBRARY.

Number of volumes Mar. 1st 1902 3695 No. Mar. 1st 1903 3890 making an increase of 195. 46 of these volumes came from the State and Government departments, 26 were donated, 10 came from binding our own magazines, 18 from binding magazines which have been donated and the remainder were purchased by the town,

In my last annual report three books were reported lost. Two of these have since been found. At the present time this one book is the only one which has ever been accessioned which cannot be accounted for.

### The books added were classified as follows:

General Works	31
Sociology	48
Natural Sciences	15
Useful Arts	2
Fine Arts	2
Poetry and drama	5
Forward	103
Miscellaneous	6
Fiction	48
Geography and Travel	1
Biography	12
History	25
Total	195

### REPAIRING AND BINDING.

No strict account of the number of books repaired by the Librarian has been kept but the number is large. 10 volumes have been sent to the bindery since the last report and as many more are now in need of rebinding.

### CIRCULATION

The library has been open 104 days and 6259 books have been issued.

### CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION.

General Works				267
Philosophy				24
Religion				52
Sociology				76
Philology				.2
Natural Science	$\mathbf{s}$			100
Useful Arts				17
Fine Arts				$\dot{62}$
Poetry				97
Miscellaneous Li	terature			168
Fiction		* # 11 Se 1		4902
Geography and T	Fravel ,			166
Biography				167
History				159
*1		·		
Total	TOOLTH DAY 344			6259
	ISSUE BY MO			
	circulation, March	1		829
Smallest "	" September			351
Largest daily	"March 22	,		130
Smallest "	" June 4			26
26	Days open	Issue	Daily Ave	erage.
March	9	829	' 92	
April	9	635	71	
May	9	446	50	
June	8	359	45	
July	9	447	50	
August	8	411	51	
September	8	351	44	
October	9	414	46	5. 4
November	9	470	52	
December	9	597 -	65	
January	9	626	70	4
February	8	674	84	7 6 1
			/	2.5

6259

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### MAGAZINES.

As the number of bound magazines multiply the value of this department is very much increased. The information to be obtained from the back numbers of standard magazines can scarcely be estimated. We have been very fortunate the past year in filling in quite a number of incomplete volumes. As will be seen in another part of this report 18 volumes have been added by completed volumes of magazines. Proper acknowledgement of which is made under "Donations." 6 more volumes of the Century and 2 of Harpers are completed and ready for the bindery. It is a source of much satisfaction to note that the friends of the library are taking this interest to make available this added information.

The Bookman has been added to the list of magazines making 6 in all.

### READING ROOM.

This department continues to be one of the main features of the institution. The Portland Evening Express, The Eastern Gazette, the Pittsfield Advertiser, Youth's Companion and Bangor Daily Commercial have been found constantly upon the tables. Commencing with January the Outlook and Success have been added and they seem to be a good investment.

Early in the school year a stack was placed in position upon which were placed all of the reference books not otherwise provided for, together with the bound magazines. No move since the library has opened has accomplished as much good. It gives the patrons a chance to examine the magazines and many books of reference which otherwise they would not find. The growing of this work will soon call for another stack but it will be found a profitable investment.

### DONATIONS.

We have in nowise been forgotten in this line L. M. Stewart Esq., has sent 20 volumes of the Official Record of the War of the Rebellion, which together with the others make a complete set. These sets are hard to obtain aud in time will be very valuable. S. L. Boardman presented a Maine Register for 1874 which completes the file from 1870 [the first of regular edition] to the present time. Thomas W. Lawson Esq., of Boston, presented his History of America's Cup. G. L. Fassett presented 10 volumes of the Review of Reviews. Mrs. G. A. Tibbetts presented about 25 numbers of Century and Harper's Magazines. E. D. Pratt, of Bangor, presented 25 numbers of the Century and some reports which were acceptable to fill in files already started. Misses Susan and Sarah Curtis, of Garland, presented about 20 numbers of the Century.

### BRANCH LIBRARY.

At a meeting of the Eastern Maine Library Club held at Corinna in October 1901. The subject of a branch library in the rural schools was discussed and I was requested to make the experiment. The conditions did not seem favorable until the present season for the trial. 25 books were selected from the library and taken to the school at Moses' Corner. They were in school 6½ weeks, and the record shows that 105 were issued for home use, and over 80 were used in school hours. No pupil was allowed a book in school hours if it in anyway interfered with his school work. They were used as a reward of merit. The total registration in the school was 18. Average attendance, 15, which was cut down on account of sickness. It can readily be seen that the trial was very successful and if in making our annual appropriation a specified amount could be raised for this purpose it would prove of inestimable value to the children in our rural school.

### LECTURE COURSE.

January 29, Feb. 5 and 12. Three lectures were given by Rev. J. J. Lewis of Orono. The funds above the expenses were for the benefit of the library. The receipts of the lectures were \$88. The expenses of the same \$62, leaving a balance of \$26, which after paying a few minor expenses will be applied to purchasing a set of Stoddards Lectures. These will be found a valuable addition to the library. I wish to take this opportunity to thank the people who so liberally patronized this undertaking and made it so much of a success.

### CONCLUSION.

Taken as a whole the work of the library the past year has been very satisfactory, and the work of the Academy has been supplemented to a very great extent. Through the courtesy of the Librarian of the University of Maine, the Librarian of Bowdoin College and our State Librarian, We are 'able to obtain any reference books we may need by paying transportation charges. I wish we might impress upon every citizen of our town the imperative need of the library and the schools working as co-partners. Each is a public institution supported from the same source and to obtain the best results, the two must work together. It is doubtful if another town in the State with the same population as Corinna has the advantage of such a thoroughy equipped library. We should, then, consider ourselves fortunate and embrace every opportunity to promote its welfare and extend its influence as far as possible. Respectfully submitted.

J. H. WINCHESTER, Librarian.



# Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the inhabitants of Corinna:-

I hereby present my report as Superintendent of schools for the year ending Feb. 28, 1903.

The census of scholars taken in April, 1902 showed the whole number of resident persons between the ages of 4 and 21 years was 304. The school registers of the several teachers of the schools as made by them at the close of each term, show the number of different scholars registered in common schools during the year was 189, boys 106, girls 83.

### ASSIGNMENTS.

At the beginning of the year, your school committee authorized me to examine, certify and hire teachers for the common schools; to purchase text books and school appliances and to have the care of the same; and to hire janitors. All these duties thus assigned me and my required duties I have attended to. The special returns required by the State Supt. were promptly forwarded to him and the amounts found due the town for common schools and Free High School were sent to the treasurer, a statement of which you will find in his report.

### LENGTH OF TERMS.

The length of the three terms of the common schools during the municipal year were 27 weeks, that of the High School 33 weeks. There was less money raised for schools for the past year than was for the few preceding years.

This ought not by any means to happen. It deprives the children of several weeks schooling which they need very much. \$200 would have been sufficient to have run the schools three weeks longer and would cost each taxpayer but a trifle more.

### COST OF BOOKS.

The cost of books furnished the schools during the year was \$—. This is an item which can not be controlled in regard to its limit as some other bills. Books and supplies are something that are a necessity in order to do school work efficiently.

### ATTENDANCE.

The average attendance in the No. 9 school; known as the Fisher School, fell below the number required by law to maintain the same; hence by the requirement of the statute it was closed at the end of the sixth week of the winter term.

The attendance in general, however, has been very regular except in a few extreme cases of truancy which should be abated, and cases of sickness which were quite frequent during the winter term.

### EXPENDITURES.

For information as to the expenditures made of the schools money appropriated by the town and other money received from the state, I respectfully refer you to the report of the Selectmen.

### CONVEYANCE.

During the past year the conveyance of the scholars who live in districts where there are too small a number to maintain a profitable school has caused no little trouble and annoyance. I find it very difficult and in some cases almost impossible to hire any one to carry them at prices within our limit to pay. And there seems to be a great deal of unwillingness on the part of some to have the small and disinterested school in their own neighborhood joined with another small

and possibly as disinterested school by itself when by so doing a greater interest and enthusiasm in the school work can be aroused and better work accomplished. I believe this is the best way to manage the small schools and when it can be done with less opposition on the part of the parents a greater good may be derived.

### MUSIC.

There is a growing interest in the musical department of the schools. The scholars derive great benefit from this department and it should be encouraged.

### TEACHERS

The teachers for the most part have been selected from our home talent which I believe is the best policy as long as efficient and capable help can be obtained as it encourages the younger teachers. The interest of the pupils, however, should not be lost sight of for the interest of the teachers. I believe that the most of our teachers have done good and faithful work and the schools are in good condition but could be bettered by paying good wages and demanding more extended preparation on the part of the teachers.

I wish to tender my sincere thanks to all who have so willingly aided me in any way and have made my work more easy and pleasant during the past municipal year.

Respectfully submitted,

Allen M. Knowles,

as Superintendent of schools.

Corinna, Feb. 1903.

Edna A. Emery, L. Hattle Morton, M. H. Trefethen, R. Mabel Houston, Grace Lane, Edna Lander Evelyn A. Atkins, Della W. Veazie, Rose Tibbitts, Fidna A. Enery, L. Hattle Morton, †M. H. Trefethen, †M. H. Trefethen, R. Mabel Houston, Grace Lane, Fannie G. Burrill, Grace Lane, Fannie G. Burrill, Della W. Veazie, Rose Tibbitts, Ph. Horse Tibbitts,
Village grammar Village primary Ridge No. 4 Centre, No. 5 I Puffer, No. 6 Town Farm, No. 8 It Fisher, No. 9 Corner, No. 10 Pleasant Vale, No. 11 Pillage grammar Village primary Ridge, No. 4 Centre, No. 6 Sown Farm, No. 8 Sorner, No. 10 Sisher, No. 9 Sorner, No. 10 Sor
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† No school register returned.

Edna A. Emery, L. Hattie Morton, Della Bemis, Edith C. Burrill, Grace Lane, Evelyn A. Atkins, Della W. Veazie, Rose Tibbitts,	Teachers.
Village grammar 27  " primary 47  Centre, No. 5 17  Puffer, No. 6 11  Town Farm No. 8 15  Fisher, No. 9 13  Corner, No. 10 22  Pleasant Vale No. 11 13	Location and number
27 47 17 11 15 13 22	No. of scholars registered.
24 42 15 8 12 12 12 12	Average attendance.
10 12 10 10 1 1 4 4 4 2	No. not absent one-half day.
37 32 43 15 5 5 6 6	Cases of tardiness.
51 33 4 51 14 2	Cases of dismissal
15 27 30 21 24 17 24	No. of classes daily
3· 6· 17 10 15 13 22	No. of scholars in reading
3· 6· 15 10 14 13 22	No. of scholars in spelling
9 18 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3:	No. of scholars in arithmetic
3· 2· 2· 12 9	No. of scholars in geography
1 22 7 7	No. of scholars in language
1· 4· 10 10 14 13 22	No. of scholars in writing
1 5 2	No. of scholars in physiology
7 4 9 12	No. of scholars in history
4.	No. of scholars in Algebra
44033563	No. of visits by superintendent
19 19 10 10 6	No. of visits by citizens







J.C. Brown

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### TOWN WARRANT.

Penobscot County, State of Maine.
To A. R. Blaisdell, a constable in the town of Corinna, County of Penobscot.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Corinna, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in Stewart Library Building, in said town on Monday, the 14th day of March, A. D., 1904, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles, to-wit:

- ART. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing.
- ART. 3. To choose three Selectmen.
- ART. 4. To choose three Overseers of the Poor.
- ART. 5. To choose three Assessors.
- ART. 6. To choose one or more members of the School Board.
- ART. 7. To choose a Town Treasurer.
- ART. 8. To choose a Collector of Taxes, determine his compensation or act on anything relating thereto.
- Aut. 9. To choose a Road Commissioner, and determine his compensation for actual service.
- ART. 10. To choose one or more Trustees for the Stewart Library Building, or act on anything relating thereto.
- ART. 11. To choose all other Town Officers required by law to be chosen at the annual town meeting.
- ART. 12. To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray town charges.
- ART. 13. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of the Poor.
- ART. 14. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of common schools,
- ART. 15. To see what sum of money the town will raise for instruction in a Free High School.

- ART. 16. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the maintenance of a Free High School, aside from instruction.
- ART. 17. To see where the town will vote to permanently locate the Free High School and what sum of money, if any, the town will raise to furnish, equip and warm a suitable building for the same.
- ART. 18. To determine if the town will authorize its school board to unite with one or more neighboring towns in the employment of a Superintendent of Schools,
- ART. 19. To see if the town will vote to instruct the School Committee to maintain a school at the Puffer district for the coming year.
- ART. 20. To see if the town will vote to buy dining chairs and tables for basement of Stewart Free Library building and raise money for the same.
- ART. 21. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the purchase of school books.
- ART. 22. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the repair of school buildings, and for school supplies.
- ART. 23. To see what sum of money the town will raise to purchase books for the Stewart Free Library.
- ART. 24. To see what sum of money the town will raise for repairs and support of the Stewart Library Building.
- ART. 25. To see what sum of money the town will raise to aid J. Knowles Post in paying expenses of Memorial day.
- ART. 26. To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended on State Road and determine how the same shall be expended.
- ART. 27. To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair roads and bridges in summer.
- ART. 28. To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended on winter roads from Feb. 20, 1904, to Feb. 20, 1905.
- ART. 29. To see what sum of money the town will raise to pay on the town debt.
- ART. 30. To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended in cutting and burning bushes along the highways, and how the same shall be expended.
- ART. 31. To see what sum of money the town will raise to care for cemeteries, and determine how the same shall be expended.

ÅRT. 32. To see what sum of money the town will raise to buy apparatus for extinguishing fire, or act anything relating thereto.

ART. 33. To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair and construct sidewalks along State road between the bridge and railroad crossing.

ART. 34. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to hire money when needed for current town expenses.

ART. 35. To see what disposal the town will vote to make of the Town Farm for the ensuing year.

You will give notice that the Selectmen will be in session at their office in the Stewart Library building, on the 14th day of March instant at eight o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Hereof fail not and thave you there this warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands this 3rd day of March, A. D., 1904,

C. J. TRICKRY, ) Selectmen W. I. BURRILL, of G. S. LIBBY, ) Corinna.

A true copy. Attest.

A. R. Blaisdell, Constable of Corinna.

The Municipal Officers of Corinna herewith submit their annual report for the fiscal year ending March 1st, 1904.

## Assessors' Department.

### AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED BY TOWN MARCH 9, 1903.

For support of the poor,  common schools,  instruction in Free High School,  maintenance of  100 00	
" instruction in Free High School, 350 00	
instruction in 11tt High School, 500 to	
" maintenance of " " 100 00	
" purchase of school books, 275 00	
" repairs of school buildings, 250 00	
To purchase books for Stewart Free Library. 50 00	
For J. Knowles Post for Memorial day, 25 00	
" State road, 400 00	
'' Lincoln bridge, 550 00	
To repair roads and bridges in summer, 1,100 00	
For breaking roads in winter, 700 00	
" cutting and burning bushes, 100 00	
··· care of cemeteries, 75 00	
b .	
Total, #7,275	00
VALUATION.	
Resident real estate, \$305,330	
Non " " 29,200	
	30
Resident personal estate, 85,822	
Non 408	
	30
Total, \$420.7	60

### AMOUNTS ASSESSED.

Appropriations by the town,	<b>\$7,275 00</b>
State tax.	1,262 53
County tax,	586-29
Overlays,	353 76
Total,	<b>\$9,477</b> 58
Amount assessed on real and personal est,	<b>\$8,625 58</b>
" 284 polls at \$3.00,	852 00

**\$9,477** 58

### Rate of taxation, \$.0205.

The above amount was duly committed to A. R. Blaisdell for collection April  $2\frac{1}{5}$ , 1903.

C. J. TRICKEY, ) W. I. BURRILL, · Assessors. G. S. Libby, )

## School Department

### ORDERS DRAWN FOR TEACHERS.

### WINTER TERM, 1902.

Örder	10,	Mamie H. Trefethen in No. 4,				#	49	50
		SPRING TERM, 1903.						
Order	61,	Fannie G. Burrill in No. 8,		\$54	00			
	67,	Edna A. Emery, " 7,	•	90	00			
	69,	Clifford Bragg, "2,		60	00			
	70,	R. Mabel Houston " 5.		75	00			
	74,	Mrs Rose Tibbitts, "11,		65	00			
	85,	Della Veazie, " 10,		65	00			
	86,	Grace Trefethen, "4,		60	00			
	87,	L. Hattie Morton, "7,		90	00			
	97,	Evelyn A. Atkins, " 9,		60	00			

\$ 619 00

1		FALL	TERM.		
Order	162.	Mamie V. Williams	in No. 8.	\$60 00	
	163,	L. Hattie Morton,	" 7,	90 00	
	164,	Edna A. Emery,	" 7,	90 00	
	165,	Della Veazie,	· · 4,	65 00	
	167,	Louise Ross,	" 10,	55 00	
	169,	Mrs. Rose Tibbitts,	·· 11,	65 00	
	172,	R. Mabel Houston,	·· 5,	70 00	
	182,	Viola Shepherd,	٠٠ 4,	55 00	
	193,	Evelyn A. Atkins,	., 9,	60 00	
				,	<b>*</b> 610 00
		WINTER	TERM.		
Order	245,	L. Hattie Morton	in No. 7,	\$100 00	
	246,	Mary A. Rice,	7,	90 00	
	247,	Mamie V. Williams,		71 50	
	248.	Bertha Appleton,	۰۰ 5,	65 00	
	249,	Della Veazie,	۰٬ 2,	65 00	
	250,	Mrs. Rose Tibbitts,	" 11,	65 00	
	251,	Everett Tibbitts,	" 10,	60 00	
	252,	Viola Shepherd,	" 4,	55 00	
	253,	Louise Ross,	·· 9,	55 00	
					<b>*</b> 626 50
		Total,	200	-	\$1,905 00
O	RDE	RS DRAWN FOR C	ONVEYING	SCHOL	ARS.
		Spring	TERM.	,	
Order	68,	Robie White,	to No. 7,	\$40.00	
	71,	James Deveraux,	" 10,	33 33	
	78,	Levi Weeks,		25 00	
	88,		·· 5,	45 00	
					<b>\$</b> 143 33
		FALL	Тевм.		
Order	160		to No. 7,	\$40 00	
Ordel	161,	Levi Weeks,	10. 1,	25 00	
	166,	,		38 33	
	181.	Sanford Chase,	·· 5	45 00	
					\$ 143 33

### WINTER TERM.

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Order 242,	Robie White,	to No. 7,	*40 00	
243,	Sanford Chase,	" 5,	50 00	
244,	James Deveraux,	" 10,	33 34	
267,	George McLure,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	15 90	
268,	Clyde Snell,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	12 00	
				<b>*</b> 151 24
			-	0. 40% 00
	Total,			<b>*</b> 437 90
	ORDERS DRAW:	N FOR JANITO	ORS.	
		TERM.		
			H	
Order 65,	Guy Knowles,	in No. 7,	* 2 70	
90,	Roy Weeks,	··· 7,	3 00	
				* 5 70
				·lb •) 1()
	FALL	TERM.		
Order 168,	Stetson League,		# 3 50	
170,	Fannie Redman,	" 7,	3 50	
				<b># 7 00</b>
	WINTE	R TERM.	•	
Örder 254,	James Nickerson,		<b>\$ 2 50</b>	
255,	Leon Mason,	71., 111 100, 11,	2 50	
256,	Samuel Arnold.	" ~, _	4 00	
257,	Garfield Tompkins		4 00	
258,		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2 50	
Δ.	Elwin Trickey,	" 10,	2 50	
	Earle Lander,	" 8,	2 75	
426,			2 50	
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	ORDERS DRAV			
Order 26,			<b>*12 00</b>	
27,	Horace Dearborn,	· ·	11 25	
30,	W. A. Cooley,	" 4,	1 75	
101,	C. L. Dearborn,	· · · 7,	15 00	
113,	Lewis Puffer,	" 4 and 6,	$24 \ 00$	
150	Lassace Claudalle	44 0	44 00	

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152, James Smith,

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### COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

DR.

DR.		
To amount raised including int. on school		
fund note,	\$1,400 (	00
State School Fund and Mill Tax,	843 (	54
Received from Exeter for tuition in ex-		
cess of amount reported due last year,	1.5	50
Received from Dexter for tuition,	96 8	35
Unexpended Mar. 1, 1903,	109 2	9
	<del></del>	* 2,450 78
CR.		,
By Amount paid teachers,	<b>\$1,905</b> 0	0
" " for conveyance,	437 9	
" " janitors,	35 9	
" " fuel,	75 2	
ruci,	10 %	-
		\$ 2,454 10
Overdrawn,		\$ 3 32
Amount of approved bills for which orders		
have not been drawn,		\$ 22 00
		,
SCHOOL BOOK ACCOUN	Т.	
SCHOOL BOOK ACCOUN	Т.	
DR.		0
	T. \$ 275 0 18 2	
To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,	\$ 275 0	7 - `
DR. To amount appropriated by the town,	\$ 275 0	
To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,	\$ 275 0	7 - `
To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,	\$ 275 0 18 2	7 - `
DR.  To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.	\$ 275 0 18 2	7 - * 256 73
DR.  To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school books as for	* 275 0 18 2	7 * 256 73
DR.  To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school books as fo Order 33, Hinds & Noble,	\$ 275 0 18 2 bllows: \$ 1 2	7 - # 256 73 - 5
DR.  To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school books as for Order 33, Hinds & Noble,  35, J. H. Winchester, exp. on books,	\$ 275 0 18 2 bllows: \$ 1 25 4 25	7 - * 256 73 5 2 3
DR.  To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school books as for Order 33, Hinds & Noble,  35, J. H. Winchester, exp. on books,  36, Ginn & Co.,  38, F. J. Barnard & Co.,  39, E. E. Babb & Co.,	\$ 275 0 18 2 ellows: \$ 1 2: 4 2: 2 3:	7 - * 256 73 5 2 3
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DR.  To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school books as for Order 33, Hinds & Noble,  35, J. H. Winchester, exp. on books,  36, Ginn & Co.,  38, F. J. Barnard & Co.,  39, E. E. Babb & Co.,  40, Educational Publishing Co.,  41, D. H. Knowlton & Co.,  42, J. L. Hammett Co.,  52, Smith & Sale,	\$ 275 0 18 2 6llows: \$ 1 2 4 2: 2 3: 11 3: 7 9: 26 3 30 4 60 2 2:	7 - * 256 73 5 2 3 2 2 5 5 7
DR.  To amount appropriated by the town, less amount overdrawn last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school books as for Order 33, Hinds & Noble,  35, J. H. Winchester, exp. on books,  36, Ginn & Co  38, F. J. Barnard & Co.,  39, E. E. Babb & Co.,  40, Educational Publishing Co.,  41, D. H. Knowlton & Co.,  42, J. L. Hammett Co.,  52, Smith & Sale,  53, J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$ 275 0 18 2 6llows: \$ 1 2 4 2: 2 3: 11 3: 7 9: 26 3 30 4 60 2 27 2 10	7 * 256 73 * 256 73 * 256 73 * 3
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222, Ginn & Co		17	71			
223.		5	89			
224, B. H. Sanborn	& Co.,	5	46			
225, L. Barton,			85			
236. Houghton, Miff	flin & Co.,		07			
237, Sibley & Co.,			34			
238, Ginn & Co.,			17			
	Co., purchased in		36			
	on, books, expres					
and freight,			82			
	er, school books.		25			
262, D. C. Heath &			19			
263, Educational Pu			75			
264, American Book	Co.,		56			
265, Ginn & Co.,			75			
391, J. H. Winchest	er,	4	25			•
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				* 2	238	62
					40	~.
Unexpended,		*		*	18	<i>i</i> I
BILI	LS UNSETTLED.					
Silver, Burdett & Co.,		* 85	78			
SUPPLIES AND REPA	AIRS ON SCHOOL	)L BUI	LD	INC	iS.	
	DR.					
Amount appropriated by t	the town	* 250	00			
Unexpended March 1, 1903		21				
o hexpended march 1, 1909	•	_~1				
				# :	271	88
				'H ~		
	CR.					
By orders drawn as t	follows:					
Order 17, E. S. Knowles,	, cleaning school					
rooms,		* 21	00			
21, A. M. Knowles	s, stationery and					
supplies,		3	92			
22, C. H. and Mrs.	H. P. Shorey for					
school house	e lot,	25	00			
	, collecting books		00			
32, A. M. Knowles	s, school supplies,	3	60			
37, A. A. Littlefiel			00			
60, M. P. Tewksbu	ury, papering sch	ool				
room at No.	8,		75			

	109,	E. S. Knowles, lumber and labo	r					
		at No. 10,		-29	44			
	117,	J. C. Smith, paint and labor at	t		`			
		No. 10,		6	23			
	124,	G. A. Tibbitts, labor and materi	al					
		at No. 10,		12	46			
	134,	A. M. Knowles, express and tele	<u>-</u>					
		phone charges,		2	75			
	150,	C. H. Shorey, shingles for shed	at					
		No. 10,		6	30			
	186,	C. A. Gray, repairing school hou	use,	23	00			
	201,	Ella E. Knowles, for cleaning ro	oms	,				
		at No. 7,		3	$\theta\theta$			
	203,	E. S. Knowles, repairs on scho	ool					
		houses,		37	80			
	208,	J. E. Gray, supplies for scho	ol					
		house repairs,		55	<b>0</b> 0			
	261,	G. A. Shepherd, repairs,		4	00			
	271,	H. J. Goulding, supplies,		4	60			
	431,	J. E. Gray, "		1	12			
	432,	F. E. Day,		8	15			
	433,	H. L. Burrill, "			95			
	434,	F. E. Knowles, "		2	40			
	435,	L. Hutchins, "		4	59			
						* 27	0 0	6
		Unexpended,				*	1 8	2
	•	BILLS UNPAID.						
		· ·	<b>\$28</b>	70				
		A. M. Knowles,						
		A. M. Khowies,	~	30				
			<del></del>	03				
		HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUN						
		DR.	-					
Тов	mannt	appropriated for instruction,	#	350	00			
15 10		" maintenance.	Ψ,	100				
		received from C. U. Academy,		616				
		unexpended March 1, 1903,		120				
		due from the State,		125				
		amount received from State,		125				

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	CR,		
By orders	drawn as follows:		
Order 6,	C. J. Trickey, wood,	<b>\$ 28</b>	00
8,	D. M. Dwelley, janitor,	3	00
28,	H. J. Goulding, supplies,	1	25
34,	F. E. Briggs, teaching,	350	00
44,	L. O. Haskell, programmes,	11	70
94,	N. P. Sipprelle, diplomas,	3	90
119,	Hughes & Son, rent of piano,	30	00
120,	M. W. Crowell, janitor,	3	00
121,	Harry Nutter, "	2	25
122,	G. C. Furber, catalogues for 1902,	25	00
123,	G. C. Furber, " 1903;	23	25
144,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	48	00
146,	L. Whitney Elkins, "	98	45
173,	L. Whitney Elkins, "	118	18
_ 183,	S. B. Brooks, sawing wood,	4	80
188,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	84	00
189,	L. F. Ireland, freight, express, etc.,	12	08
190,	Rand, McNally & Co., maps,	12	65
194,	M. W. Crowell, janitor,	8	25
226,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	60	00
230,	L. Whitney Elkins, "	118	18
272,	H. J. Goulding, supplies,	4	50
273,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	72	00
326,	L. Whitney Elkins, supplies,	4	77
393,	L. Whitney Elkins, teaching,	98	49
418,	M. W. Crowell, janitor,	8	25

### Unexpended,

## SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN FOR THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Support of common schools,	* 2,454 10
" " high school,	1,233 95
School books,	238 02
Repairs and supplies,	270 06

\$ 4,196 13

## Highway Department.

### SUMMER ROADS.

		SUMMEN ROADS.			
Order	24,	J. H. Nickerson,	*	8	25
	47,	C. C. Knowles,		50	00
	49,	W. H. Knowles,		7	49
	51,	Israel McLuer,		8	25
	.55,	Almon Lawrence,		11.	00
	62,	Benj. S. Knowles,		25	00
	63,	C. C. Knowles,		75	00
	64,	Everett Dearborn,		8	<b>5</b> 0
	66,	Charles Lander,		3	00
	72,	J. H. Hall,		_3	75
	75,	B. J. Woodard,		2	00
	76,	P. M. Hall,		128	75
	77,	Atwood Cain,		3	00
	79,	Seavy Nichols,		4	50
	80,	Charles Crowell,		10	40
	82,	James Stevens,		44	00
	83,	Clinton Copeland,		50	00
	84,	Seldon Knowles,		45	50
	89,	E. L. Dearborn,		11	<b>5</b> 0
	93,	C. M. Conant & Co.,		7	10
	96,	Charles Crowell and others,		9	75
	99,	C. C. Knowles,		65	50
	103,	J. H. Shepherd,		40	00
	104,	P. H. Simpson,		2	00
	105,	Geo. S. Libby,		7	35
	108,	James F. Stevens,		7	50
	111,	F. M. Burton,		2	00
	116,	B. S. Knowles,		63	50
	131,	C. C. Knowles,		100	00
	136,	Ernest Seavey,		13	50
	139,	R. S. Knowles,		11	25
	142,	Atwood Cain,		1	50
	148,	J. H. Shepherd,		16	50
	149,	W. J. Hall,			10
	153,	C. J. Trickey,			98
	154,	P. M. Hall,		3	50
	156,	A. J. Cook,		1	
	158,	L. A. Ireland,		5	00 °
	159,	W. J. Philbrick,			00
	171,	J. H. Winchester,		15	00

	184,	I. M. Barker,	3	06		
	185,	Wm. Clark,	4	50		
	187,	Joseph Leo,	5	00 4		
	191,	Jeptha Bane,	5	25		
	192,	C. H. Lander,	7	00		
	195,	H. A. Bigelow,	5	60		
	202,	W. J. Hall,	3	$00_{j}$		1
	206,	C. J. Trickey,	3	77		
)	211,	J. E. Gray,	6	48		
		G. H. Young,	2	40		
		H. B. Rackliff,		00		
		James Stevens,	3	00		
		Irving Shorey,		50		
		H. L. Burrill,		89		
		B. S. Knowles, .	14	60		
		Geo. Amazeen,	1	50		
		I. M. Bates,		00		
		H. W. Knowles,	2	00		
		T. F. Burrill,		25		
		Clinton Copeland,	_	50		
١		C. C. Knowles,		00		
	387,	C. C. Knowles,	33	50		
				J.	1,060	99
		. 5		411.	1,000	~~
		- HIGHWAY ACCOUNT FOR S	UMMER.			
//N	4	DR.		.11-	1 100	0.0
To amo	ount	appropriated by the town,	•	#	1,100	00
		CR.				
By am	ount	paid for labor and supplies,	* 1,060			
		" watering tubs,	27	00		
				*	1,087	20
		At the second second				
		Unexpended,			* 12	78
		WINTER ROADS.				
Order	12,	I. M. Barker,	* 6	90		
	13,	Horace Dearborn,	8	38		
	15,	I. R. Shorey,	1	40	1	
	16,	Almon Lawrence,	2	89		
	18,	Wm. H. Snell,	4	60		
	31,	Frank M. Burton,	2	78		
	43,	S. R. Brown,	6	90		
	45,	Fred L. Weed,	4	86		
	46,	G. A. Shepherd,	1	05		
	73,	H. L. Frost,	3	25		

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92,	Town of Exeter, Me.,	18 75
234,	U. G. Veazie,	9 15
270,	G. W. Davis,	5 16
274,	Charles Crowell,	12 10
275,	D. M. Sawtelle,	1 35
276,	Almon Lawrence,	24 91
277.	Hiram Lawrence,	4 52
281,	F. A. Sawtelle,	6 50
283,	J. M. Katen,	8 40
284,	C. A. Cooley,	27 57
285,	Laura A. Sanborn,	2 02
286,	P. M. Hall,	4 55
287,	Charles Knowles,	4 55
290,	F. M. Burton,	12 55
293,	G. E. Hayden,	37 55.
294,	L. M. Puffer,	15 19
296.	I. M. Bates,	7 60
297,	F. E. Willey,	6 70
298,	Lyford Robinson,	8 25
299,	L. B. Hatch,	3 57
300,	L. R. Mason and others,	13 20
301,	Horace Dearborn,	19 44
302,	A. W. Lander,	7 35
303,	S. Lincoln,	5 80
306,	Win. Thompson,	15 50
307,	W. J. Hall,	5 55
308,	J. B. Woodard,	46 20
310,	Charles Lander,	5 30
311,	G. A. Tibbitts,	1 75
312,	J. H. Shepherd and others,	19 95
313.	E. S. Knowles,	13 55
315,	I. M. Barker,	23, 30
319,	G. F. Thurston,	7 65
320,	E. N. Dunning,	3 40
322,	E. L. Seavey,	9 52
327,	U. G. Veazie,	9 25
330,	F. L. Weed,	9 72
	F. L. Mason,	8 00
338,	A. C. Smith,	1 90
339,	I. E. Shorey,	7 35
	Everett Simpson,	2 45
345,	R. A. Blanchard,	2 80
346,	W. H. Mower,	5 80
354,	A. H. Emery,	13 20

357, O. W. Ireland,	5	17		
360, G. S. Libby,	10	45		
361, H. C. Burrill,	1	75		
363, W. J. Philbrick,	13	30		
364, B. S. Knowles,	8	19		
365, S. R. Brown,	8	40		
371, P. H. Simpson,	15	64		
372, John McPherson,	2	10		
378, F. L. Titcomb,	40	55		
383, W. H. Welch,	8	50		
407, A. Boyington,	6	65	•	
408, E. M. Atkins,	5	20		
428, C. F. Davis,	4	00		
429, W. S. Kimball,	18	50		
			<b>\$ 670 99</b>	
			# 010 99	
HIGHWAY ACCOUNT FOR WINTE	R.			
DR.				
To amount appropriated by the town,	<b>\$700</b>	00		
CR.		V		
By amount expended.	670	99		
Unexpended,			\$ 29 01	
HIGHWAY BUSH ACCOUN	Т.		'	
DR.				
To amount appropriated by the town,			<b>\$100_00</b>	,
" unexpended March 1, 1903,			15 59	
, 1000,				
			<b>\$115</b> 59	
CR.				
Order 199, C. C. Knowles,	*19			
200, John Nickerson,		10		
213, Maria F. Southard,		00		
231, Preston Knowles,		40		
232, W. J. Philbrick,		50		
266, C. H. Moore,		00		
282, J. M. Katen,		00		
291, F. M. Burton,	-	80		
309, J. B. Woodard,	_	00		
332, Fred Nickerson,		00	,	
341, Everett Simpson,	2	00		
			\$ 49 30	
Unexpended,			66 29	

### WATERING TUBS.

Order 292,	Mrs. E. A. Weymouth,	* 3 00
304,	Stephen Lincoln,	3 00
347,	G. O. Adams,	3 00
373,	I. R. Shorey,	3 00
385,	J. E. Gray,	3 00
409,	T. F. Burrill,	3 00
410,	C. F. Parkman,	3 00
419,	E. M. Winchester,	3 00
427,	W. S. Kimball,	3 00

\$ 27 00

\$ 400 00

### STATE ROAD.

DR.

To amount appropriated by the town,

		CR.		
Order 110,	Walter Bowden,		\$ 3 90	
112,	Arthur White,		8 00	
126,	C. C. Knowles,		30 00°	
127,	Arthur White,		11 50	
128,			16 50	
129,	P. M. Hall,		52 50	
130,	F. L. Harmon,		17 00	
133,	J. F. Stevens,	*	21 75	
137,	J. H. Shepherd,		75 00	
138,	H. W. Knowles,		25 75	
140,	R. S. Knowles,		35 75	
141,	Atwood Cain,		24 50	
143,	E. L. Dearborn,		10 50	
151,	T. F. Burrill,		56 00	
157,	A. J. Cook,		5 25	
196,	H. A. Bigelow,		6 10	
				\$ 400 00

Received from the State,

\$ 200 00

### LINCOLN'S MILLS BRIDGE.

DR.

To amount appropriated by the town,	\$ 550 00

CR.

Order 118,	G. A. Tibbitts,	*	425 00	
125,	6.6		35 00	
132,	G. S. Libby,		44 00	
155,	P. M. Hall,		1 50	
197,	H. A. Bigelow,		5 00	
204,	Will I. Burrill,		11 60	
205,	C. J. Trickey.		10 50	
209,	J. E. Gray,		12 82	
217,	G. S. Libby,		4 50	
353,	R. S. Knowles,		1 50	
374,	C. J. Trickey,		5 25	

**\$ 556 67** 

Overdrawn,

\* 6 67

## SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN IN THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

### Expended on Summer roads, including

#	1,087	22
	670	99
	49	30
	400	00
	556	67
	#	\$ 1,087 670 49 400 556

\$ 2,764 18

## Department of Overseers of Poor.

Order 401,	Town of Wellington, account	
	Frank Moody,	\$ 58 87
344,	F. L. Redman, account Eldridge	
	Pratt,	7 50
321,	F. H. Crowell, account A. B.	
	Gould,	12 00
337,	E. E. Knowles, account A. B.	
	Gould,	10 12
336,	E. E. Knowles, account John	
	Dearborn,	8 50
98,	S. F. Lander, account Ernest	
	Couillard,	19 50
- 329,	Mrs. S. F. Lander, account Er-	
	nest Couillard,	20 25
324,	J. A. Tabor, account Rufus L.	
	Davis,	74 10
325,	E. E. Knowles, account Rufus	
	L. Davis,	27 18
239,	Rose McFarland, account Rufus	
]	L. Davis,	22 00
14,	A. L. Caswell, account tramps,	1 00
147,	P. W. Lander, "	5 00
397,	., ., ., ., .,	1 50 - (
335,	E. E. Knowles, account Sarah	
	Babb,	4 35
402,	O. H. Bachelder, account Sarah	
	Babb,	50
		\$ 272 37
Order 9,	A. W. Lander, board of paupers,	\$ 25 00
23,		42 00
207,		35 00
396,		20 00
412,		40 00
		* 162 00

\$ 434 37

### ACCOUNT WITH A. W. LANDER.

CR.

By balance due Mar. 1, 1903,	\$ 43 50	
board of Sarah Babb 52 weeks @ \$1.50,	78 00	
" " Mary Harmon 7 weeks @ \$2.00,	14 00	
" " 45 " @ \$2.50,	112 50	
"      " Daniel Puffer,	5 00	
		<b>\$ 252 00</b>
DR,		
To orders drawn,	* 162 00	
Rent of farm,	90 00	
		<b>\$</b> 252 00
		# 4.74 00
SUPPORT OF THE POOR ACC	COUNT.	
DR.		
To amount raised by the town,	<b>\$</b> 400 00	
received of Dover, account of	f	
Rufus L. Davis,	123 28	
• for rent of town farm,	90 00	
,		

CR.

By amount of orders drawn,	<b>*</b> 434 37
paid by rent of farm,	90 00

524 37

**\$** 613 28

Unexpended, \* \$ 88 91

## Selectmen's Department.

### MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES:

Order	2,	T. S. Ross, printing town re-				
		ports, 1903,	*	30		
- 10	7,	E. F. Dillingham, blank books,		7	95	
	19,	A. M. Knowles, taking census of				
		scholars,		7	00	
	48,	J. Knowles Post, for Memorial				
		day,		25	00	
	95,	W. I. Burrill, keeping town				
	٠	books,		25	00	
	328,	E. F. Dillingham, blank books,		11	75	
	333,	J. A. Tabor, vaccination and				
•		supplies,		7	15	
	342,	F. L. Redman, services on board				
		of health,		10	20	
	343,	F. L. Redman, returning births				
	`	and deaths,		3	75	
	352,	E. P. Ireland, driving hearse,		24	00	
	367,	W. I. Wood, legal services,		15	00	
	379,	W. I. Burrill, recording inven-				
		tory,		8	00	
	381,	W. I. Burrill, postage, station-				
		ery, etc.,		21	91	
	386,	J. E. Gray, postage, etc.,		1	20	
	404,	Harry Parkman, special police,		5	00	
	413,	A. R. Blaisdell, posting town				
		warrant,		1	50	
	414,	A. R. Blaisdell, special police,		3	00	
	415,	A. R. Blaisdell, serving dog war-				
		rants,		3	50	
	416,	J. G. Shaw, special police,		5	00	
	417,	J. W. Mullen, special police,		3	00	
	424,	J. E. Gray, recording births, etc.,		7	20	
						\$ 226 11
		TOWN OFFICERS.				
Order	1,	W. B. Gould, town auditor,	*	2	00	
	4,	W. I. Burrill, moderator,		2	00	
	20,	A. M. Knowles, superin-				
		tendent of schools, \$ 15 00				

34,	A. M. Knowles, superin-		
	tendent of schools, 15 00		
107,	A. M. Knowles, superin-		
	tendent of schools, 15 00		
400,	A. M. Knowles, superin-		
	tendent of schools, 55 00	100.00	
		100 00	
376,	C. J. Trickey, selectman,	75 00	*
380,	W. I. Burrill, selectman,	60 00	
375,	(f. S. Libby, selectman,	40 00	
392,	A. R. Blaisdell, collecting taxes		
	in full,	189/55	
428,	J. E. Gray, town clerk and treas-		
	urer,	40 00	
			<b>\$ 508 55</b>
	TOWN FARM BILLS.		
Order 102,	C. L. Dearborn, fertilizer,	<b>\$</b> 19 50	
212,	J. E. Gray, nails,	30	
334,	E. E. Knowles, grass seed,	7 85	
348,	F. E. Day, paint, paper, etc.,	4 77	
			<b>\$</b> 32 42
	LIBRARY BUILDING.		
Order 3,	Smith & Anthony Co., heating		
	repairs,	<b>\$</b> 7 23	
5,			
	J. E. Gray, wood,	144 00	
11,	J. H. Winchester, salary,	144 00 50 00	
. 11, 29,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, "	50 00 $25 00$	
	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, " J. H. Winchester, "	50 00 25 00 25 00	
29, 56, 81,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, J. H. Winchester, J. H. Winchester, "	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00	
29, 56, 81, 106,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, J. H. Winchester, J. H. Winchester, J. H. Winchester, " J. H. Winchester,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00	
29, 56, 81, 106, 135,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, "	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00	
29, 56, 81, 106, 135, 145,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00	
29, 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175, 178,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes, J. H. Winchester, salary,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95 25 00	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175, 178, 198,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes, J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95 25 00 25 00	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175, 178, 198, 210,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes, J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, J. E. Gray, supplies,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95 25 00 25 00 25 00	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175, 178, 198, 210, 219,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes, J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, J. E. Gray, supplies, F. J. Barnard & Co.,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95 25 00 25 00 25 00 33 04	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175, 178, 198, 210, 219, 229,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes, J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, J. E. Gray, supplies, F. J. Barnard & Co., J. H. Winchester, salary,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95 25 00 25 00 10 90 33 04 25 00	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175, 178, 198, 210, 219, 229, 235,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes, J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, J. E. Gray, supplies, F. J. Barnard & Co., J. H. Winchester, salary, W. I. Randlett, concrete,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95 25 00 10 90 33 04 25 00 2 50	
29. 56, 81, 106, 135, 145, 174, 175, 178, 198, 210, 219, 229,	J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, supplies, C. T. French, brushes, J. H. Winchester, salary, J. H. Winchester, J. E. Gray, supplies, F. J. Barnard & Co., J. H. Winchester, salary, W. I. Randlett, concrete,	50 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 25 00 4 92 2 95 25 00 25 00 10 90 33 04 25 00	

377, J. H. Winchester, supplies,	5 67	
382, Will I. Burrill, supplies,	3 00	
384, J. E. Gray, supplies,	3 85	
394, Mark Bond, police,	5 00	
399, H. J. Goulding, supplies,	3 50	
395, C. A. Gray, labor and repairs,	2 75	
398, T. F. Burrill, water supply,	12 00	
425, J. E. Gray, wood,	12 60	
		<b>\$</b> 659 25
CR.		
By cash received for rent of hall,	<b>\$ 138 50</b>	
for rent of offices,	12 50	
for library fines and cards,	12 19	
for ashes sold,	1 60	
		* 164 79
Balance against the building,		* 494 46
LIBRARY BOOK ACCOUN	T.	
DR.		
To amount unexpended March 1, 1903,	* 11 41	
appropriated by the town.	50 00	
received from the State,	44 69	
received from the source,		
		<b>\$ 106 10</b>
· CR.		
Order 176, J. H. Winchester,	\$ 1 25	
177, J. H. Winchester,	6 00	
179, G. A. Lovejoy,	18 67	
180, E. F. Dillingham,	41 47	
220, D. C. Heath & Co.,	13 67	
*		\$ 81 Q6
Unexpended,		<b>*</b> 25 04
CEMETERY ACCOUNT.		
DR.	•	
To amount appropriated by the Town,	\$ 75 00	
" unexpended March 1, 1903,	22 51	
		\$ 97 51

CR. Order 50, C. W. White, \$ 6 50 8 00 100, Cutler Emerson, 114. F. E. Willey, 2 00 430, Abbie Young, 2 00 \$ 18 50 Unexpended. \$ 79 01 Posts and rails on hand valued at \$12.00. ABATEMENT OF TAXES. Herbert Dearborn, poll tax paid Order 115. in Lewiston. \$ 3 00 323. E. L. Seavey, error in listing, 2 42 Geo. Lawrence, poll tax paid in 388. 3 00 Palmyra, 389. Amenzer Bigelow, left the State, 3 00 390, F. E. Briggs, 3 00 403. Fred Sargent, error in listing. 4 10 \* 18 52 INTEREST-BEARING ORDERS PAID. Order 58, of 1898, Elsie Knowles, \$ 27 57 218, of 1901, Hattie A. Cooley, 500 00 73, of 1902, 150 00 317, W. S. Page, in part, 10 00 Mary A. Seavey, in part, 421. 38 00 \$ 725 57 INTEREST PAID ON ORDERS. Hattie A. Cooley, on order 218 Order 57. of 1901, \$ 25 75 Hattie A. Cooley, on order 73 58, of 1902, 1 55 279. Mary E. Nickerson, on order 374 of 1903. 10 56 Ida M. Page, on order 377 of 289, 1903, 9 05 W. S. Page, on orders 181, 382

318.

350.

356,

and 383 of 1903.

of 1902,

1902,

Harriet M. Briggs, on order 555

Mary M. Burrill, on order 241 of

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5 00

		20			
359,	1903,	athard, on order 477 o	6	00	
362,	Elsie Kn 1898,	owles, on order 58 o		40	
370,	Sarah P.	Dodge, on orders 290	),		
		292 of 1903,		58	
	490 of 1		28	40	
422,		Seavey, on order 458 o			
	1903,		9	66	
					\$ 187 50
	OU'	TSTANDING ORDER	RS.		
1903.					
June 20. ():	rder 59,	Hattie A. Cooley,	# 725	00	
July 8,	91,	Abner Brooks,	400	00	
1904.					
Feb. 13,	280,	Mary E. Nickerson,	300	00	
13,	288,	Ida M. Page,	360	00	
13,	316,	W. S. Page,	825	00	
19,	349,	Harriett M. Briggs,	307	00	
20,	355,	Mary M. Burrill,	100	00	
20,	358,		200	00	
20,	369,	Sarah P. Dodge,	950		
23,	406,	G. W. Nutter,	800		
25,	420,	Mary Λ. Seavey,	200	00	
. 1	ntorost h	earing debt,	<b>\$5,107</b>	00	
		,		00	
	SUMMA	RY OF ORDERS DR	AWN.		
School depar			<b>\$</b> 4,196	13	
Highway de	partment	,	2,764	18	
		department,	434	37	
Micellaneous		s, .	226		
Town officer			508		
Town farm b				42	
Library buil			659		
Library bool				06	
Cemetery ac				50	
Abatement o			18		
Interest bear			725		
interest paid	i on outst	anding orders,	187	90	
					0 859 16

\* 9,852 16

Amount of orders turned over by treasurer,

# 9,852 16

## LIABILITIES.

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Outstanding orders,	* 5,107 00		
Outstanding bills,	138 81		
		\$5,245	81
RESOURCES.			
Cash in the treasury,	<b>\$.2,902.54</b>		
Due from the State for free High school,	125 00		
Due for office rent in library building,	72 50		
Town farm property,	1,200 00		
Alfred Chase farm,	225 00		
Road machine, plows. etc	100 00		
	;	\$ 4,625	04

Current liabilities,

\$ 620 77

Current liabilities March 1, 1903, \$\\$1,564 16 Current liabilities March 1, 1904, 620 77

Decrease for the past year, \$\\$943-39

C. J. TRICKEY, Selectmen WILL I. BURRILL, of GEO. S. LIBBY. Corinna.

I have examined the books and accounts of the selectmen and find them correct.

W. B. GOULD, Auditor.

# Treasurer's Report.

J. E. Gray, Treasurer in account with the Town of Corinna for the year ending March 1st, 1904.

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DI.		
To cash on hand from last year,	*	1,549 41
school fund note,		1,174 93
cash received E. A. Trefetheren, tuition,		22 - 50
town of Exeter, tuition,		5 00
town of Dexter, tuition,		96 - 35
State treasurer, dog licenses re-		
funded,		62 60
town clerk, 1903 dog licenses,		84 00
State treasurer, free High school,		250 - 00
State treasurer, State road,		200 00
A. Brooks, money hired,		400 00
C. A. Cooley, money hired,		725 00
Corinna Union Academy,		616 98
Trustees Library Building,		209 48
School Fund and Mill Tax,		843 64
Railroad and Telegraph Tax,		32 75
A. R. Blaisdell, Coll., 1903 tax in full	,	9,477 58
interest on F. F. Hayden note,		1 20
Town of Dover on acc't. R. L. Davis	٠,	123 28
W. S. Page, Auctioneer's license,		2 00

\$ 15,876 70

CR.

By amount paid on orders drawn,	*	9,852	16
paid State tax in full,		1,262	53
paid County tax in full,		586	29
paid State treasurer, dog licences,		84	00
paid bounty on porcupines,		14	25
school fund note,		1,174	93
eash on hand,		2,902	54

\$ 15,876 70

Respectfully submitted,

J. E. GRAY, Treasurer.

# Librarian's Report.

TO THE TRUSTEES OF STEWART FREE LIBRARY.

Gentlemen:—The fifth annual report of the Stewart Free Library, showing its condition and increase since March 1, 1903, is respectfully submitted to your Board.

There have been 30 new cards written making a total of 814 which does not include a few special cards written for the out-of town students.

There has been collected for fines, \$8.44, out-of-town cards, \$3.75, making a total of \$12.19.

## CONDITION OF LIBRARY.

Number of volumes March 1, 1903, 3890; number March 1, 1904, 4007, making an increase of 117. 29 of these came from the State and Government, 8 were donated, 22 obtained from binding the magazines and the remainder have been purchased by the town. It has been the aim of the librarian to add each year some one set of books which would prove of permanent value to the library and as the right thing at the right price has not yet been found there is yet \$38.71 unexpended. There have been 17 less volumes received from the State and Government this year than last, the last lot of magazines have not been returned from the bindery and the amount held in reserve will explain for there being less additions than were shown in my last annual report.

An inventory taken a few weeks since shows that all the books ever accessioned except the one reported lost in preceding reports can be accounted for.

 The books added were classified as follows:

 General works,
 23

 Religion.
 1

 Sociology,
 34

 Natural Science,
 2

 Useful Arts,
 5

 Miscellaneous,
 2

 Fiction,
 34

 Geography and Travel
 11

 Biography
 4

 History.
 1

## REPAIRING AND BINDING.

The number of books repaired by the librarian has been large. 56 volumes have been rebound and 18 are now at the bindery.

## CIRCULATION.

The library has been open 104 days and 5,197 books have been issued.

## CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION.

General Works	6
Philosophy 1	õ
Religion 4	9
Sociology 6	2
Philology	6
Natural Science	6
Useful Arts	7
Fine Arts 4	6
Poetry 6	8
Miscellaneous Literature 10	1
Fiction	2
Geography and Travel	9
Biography	0
History	1
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## ISSUE BY MONTHS.

Largest monthly	circulation,	March,	616
Smallest "	6.6	June,	301
Largest daily	6.6	March 4,	102
Smallest "	6.6	July 4,	17
	Days Open	ı. Issue.	Daily Average.

	Total D Tolocus	A DISTORY	arterry and creek
March,	8	616	78 '
April,	9	485	54
May,	9	353	38
June,	8	301	38
July,	9	308	34
August,	9	350	39
September,	9	382	41
October,	9	419	47
November,	8	406	51
December,	9	481	53
January,	9	545	59
February,	8	551	69
	104	5,197	50

### MAGAZINES.

There are now 81 volumes of bound magazines in the library and as they increase this department presents one of the strongest departments of the library. We have not received as many donations in this line as last year but we hope the coming year we will be fortunate enough to complete some of our sets. We now have Century, Harpers, Bookman, McClures, St. Nicholas, Review of Reviews, Outlook and Success. Any patron or friend of the library who has any spare copies they are willing to donate will confer a great favor upon the library if they communicate with the librarian and ascertain what copies are needed to complete the sets.

### READING ROOM.

This room continues to be of much interest and it is very much to be regretted that it was found necessary to close it evenings while we were without electric lights. For papers may be found the "Eastern Gazette," and "Pittsfield Advertiser" which are kindly sent by the publishers, the "Youth's Companion" and "Saturday Evening Post" furnished by the town and the "Bangor Daily Commercial" furnished by the librarian. The stack in this room which contains the reference books and the bound magazines has been found very useful to the patrons and it will be found necessary before long to put in another.

### DONATIONS.

Prof. L. Whitney Elkins presented "The Parent and Teacher for the Pupil." Prof. Elkins is the author of this volume and it should be carefully read by both parent and pupil. Chas. H. Pope of Boston presented 2 volumes, and A. B. Hepburn presented a "History of coinage and currency in the U. S. and the perrenial contest for sound money." Mrs. Cynthia Crawford presented a volume on "The Animal Kingdom."

### ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

The evening of November 6 an illustrated lecture was given for the benefit of the library. It was a stormy evening and so our part of the proceeds were but \$3.85. It is purposed to expend this amount for necessary fixtures in the Reading Room.

### CONCLUSION.

While the work of the library the past year has in nowise been phenomenal yet it has been a steady growth. The circulation has been  $4\frac{1}{2}$  volumes per capita which shows that the

patronage has been something to which we may point with pride. We must bear in mind that like any other institution it is largely what we make it and that it requires the help and interest of all to make it a complete success. I wish to again call your attention to the need of a little closer connection in some ways between the library and the schools. The time is not far distant when we shall see a strong movement throughout the State in this direction and we may as well be among the foremost as in the rear. We are exceptionally well located for cooperation with the schools and I trust that the matter will be seriously considered by your Board.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. WINCHESTER, Librarian.

# Report of Superintendent of Schools.

To the inhabitants of the town of Corinna:-

I hereby present my report as Superintendent of schools of Corinna for the year ending Feb. 29, 1904.

The census of persons in town between the ages of four and twenty-one years, required by law to be taken during the month of April annually, corrected to the first day of the month, showed that the whole number was three hundred and three. The school registers of all the school teachers of the common schools, as returned by them to the superintendent at the close of each term, showed that the number of different pupils registered during the past year was one hundred and seventy-four—ninety boys and eighty-four girls. The number of scholars registered at the High school during the spring of 1903 was seventy-four, during the fall of 1903 and the winter of 1904 was forty-seven.

All the duties assigned to me and my required duties I have attended to. The special returns required by the State super-intendent were promptly forwarded to him and the amounts found due the town for common schools and free High school were sent to the treasurer, a statement of which you will find in his report.

### LENGTH OF TERMS.

The length of the three terms of the common schools during the municipal year were thirty weeks, that of the High school thirty-three weeks. Each of the common schools kept three weeks longer this year than last owing to the increase in the appropriation by the town for that purpose. Thirty weeks is none too much schooling for the scholars during the year and by the increase in the length of the school year there was a very appreciable increase in the amount and a better quality of work accomplished.

#### ATTENDANCE.

The attendance for the past year has been about the same as in the last few years but this is very unsatisfactory to me, although in two or three schools it was as good as could be desired. In going through the records, I find that there are but eleven scholars registered in the common schools who have not missed a half day at school for the year. In some instances the absences were due to unavoidable causes but in many instances

it was due to the carelessness of the parents and scholars. The responsibility lies mostly with the parents as the children are not supposed to know the necessity and advantage of punctual attendance. Not until every parent sees the necessity of the child's daily presence at school, the inconvenience it causes the teachers and how the interest of the school and the scholar himself deteriorates by just so much, will they wake up to the fact that they should see to it that their own children attend school every day it is in session.

For lack of space here I cannot discuss the prosand cons as I would like to but during the present year I hope to see a vast improvement in the attendance.

### EXPENDITURES.

For a detailed statement of the expenditure of the school money appropriated by the town and that received from the State, I respectfully refer you to the report of the selectmen. It will be noticed that I have over run the appropriation for books an explanation of which I will give in town meeting if necessary.

## CONVEYANCE.

The scholars in District No. 1 and those at Southard's Mills were conveyed to the village, and those at Greenbush were conveyed to Morse's Corner school as in the year before. The scholars in Puffer's district were conveyed to the Center school as were Will Bemis' children. The scholars in the southeast part of the town were conveyed in the spring and fall to Pleasant Vale and in the winter to the village.

### TEACHERS.

For the most part the teachers have been selected from home talent and, taken as a whole, have been of high order, and as results of their work show, they have labored with considerable zeal and skill worthy of commendation. I do not think it necessary to enumerate the teaching qualities of each one individually, as you know who the thorough and painstaking ones are.

There is a close relation between teachers and scholars brought about by the School Improvement League, which is established in many of the schools and which is doing much toward the improvement of the school surroundings and in many instances have added valuable equipment for the use of the school. A growing love, on the part of the children, for the beautiful in nature, as well as in art, has been manifested in the displaying of pictures on the walls.

### HIGH SCHOOL.

In my estimation there is but a small percentage of the people in town who actually know of the real conditions of our High school. Seldom ever does any one except the school officials (and they none too often) visit the school while in session. Those who send children to the school hear more or less about it through them, which is generally from the standpoint of the scholar, but that is not like going and seeing for yourself. There is nothing more encouraging to teachers than to know that the people of the town are standing behind them and a good way to show your interest is by visiting the school.

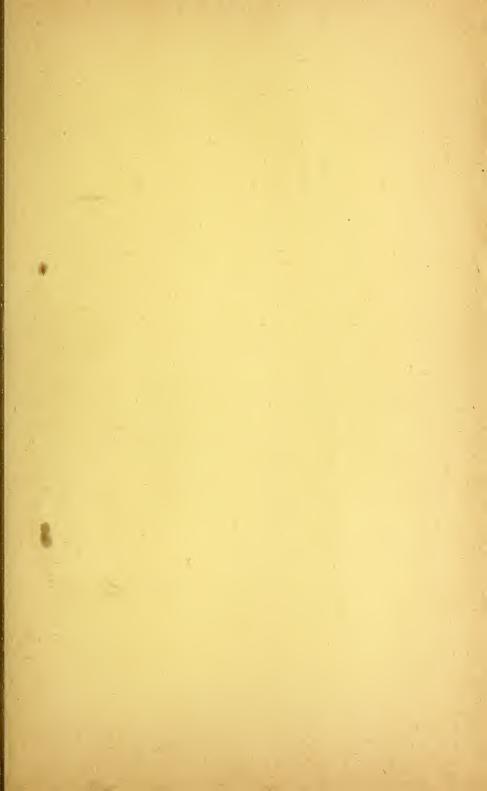
The school authorities are very fortunate in securing the present instructors, who are all that could be asked for. They are working exceptionally hard, with such means as they have, to raise the standard of the school to a level with the other fitting schools of its kind in the State. But this can be done only by the cooperation of the town. The colleges are demanding more and more from the minor schools in the preparation of young men and women to enter their walls of learning and if we are going to keep in line, as we have in the past, we shall have to take a brace and add to the equipment in the High school to that end.

Already there is a movement on foot toward equipping the school with some needed apparatus and I hope it will meet with the approval of all.

You will hear more fully of the needs of the school at town meeting and will be given an opportunity to give your help.

I take this opportunity to thank those who have offered suggestions and aided me in so many ways.

Respectfully submitted,
ALLEN M. KNOWLES, Superintendent of Schools.





J.C. Brown

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# TOWN WARRANT.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY,

STATE OF MAINE.

To F. S. Macomber, an inhabitant of the Town of Corinna, County of Penobscot. GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Corinna, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall, in Stewart Library Building, in said town on Monday, the 13th day of March, A. D., 1905, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to-wit:

- ART. I—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2—To choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing.
- ART. 3—To choose three Selectmen.
- ART. 4—To choose three Overseers of the Poor.
- ART. 5—To choose three Assessors.
- ART. 6—To choose one or more members of the School Board.
- ART. 7—To choose a Town Treasurer.
- ART. 8—To choose a Collector of Taxes, determine his compensation or act on anything relating thereto.
- ART. 9—To choose a Road Commissioner, and determine his compensation for actual service.
- ART. 10—To choose one or more Trustees for the Stewart Library Building, or act on anything relating thereto.
- ART. 11—To choose all other Town Officers required by law to be chosen at the annual town meeting.
- ART. 12—To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray town charges.

- ART. 13—To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of the poor.
- ART. 14—To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of common schools.
- ART. 15—To see what sum of money the town will raise for instruction in a Free High School.
- ART. 16—To see what sum of money the town will raise for the maintenance of a Free High School, aside from instruction.
- ART. 17—To see what sum of money the town will raise for the purchase of school books.
- ART. 18—To see what sum of money the town will raise for the repair of school buildings, and for school supplies.
- ART. 19—To see what sum of money the town will raise to purchase books for the Stewart Free Library.
- ART. 20—To see what sum of money the town will raise for the maintenance of the Stewart Library Building.
- ART. 21—To see what sum of money the town will raise to aid J. Knowles Post in paying expenses on Memorial day.
- ART. 22—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair roads and bridges in summer.
- ART. 23—To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended on winter roads from Feb.—10, 1905, to Feb. 10, 1906.
- ART. 24—To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended on State road and determine how the same shall be expended.
- ART. 25—To see what sum of money the town will raise to be expended in cutting and burning bushes along the highways, and how the same shall be expended.

- ART. 26—To see what sum of money the town will raise to care for cemeteries, and determine how the same shall be expended.
- ART. 27—To see if the town will authorize its school board to unite with one or more neighboring towns in the employment of a Superintendent of Schools, and raise a sum of money for the same.
  - ART. 28—To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of Fire Department.
  - ART. 29—To see if the town will vote to pay the whole or any part of the \$1,200, hired to buy fire apparatus, and raise a sum of money for the same.
  - ART. 30—To see what sum of money the town wil! raise to purchase additional fire apparatus.
  - ART. 31—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair and construct sidewalks.
  - ART. 32—To see what sum of money the town will raise to pay for wire used in building fences on the line of highways, or act on anything relating thereto.
  - ART. 33—To see if the town will accept the list of jurors as prepared by the Selectmen, Town Clerk and Treasurer.
  - ART. 34—To see if the town will vote to amend the contract made with Ireland Bros. Co., as agreed by said Ireland Bros. Co., or act on anything relating thereto.
  - ART. 35—To see what sum of money the town will raise to pay on the town debt.
  - ART. 36—To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to hire money when needed for current town expenses.
  - ART. 37—To see what disposal the town will make of the town farm for the ensuing year.
  - ART. 38—To see what sum of money the town will raise to purchase a road machine.

You will give notice that the Selectmen will be in session at their office in the Stewart Library Building, on the 13th day of March instant at eight o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Hereof fail not and have you there this warrant with

your doings thereon.

Given under our hands this 3rd day of March, A. D., 1905.

C. J. TRICKEY, Selectmen WILL I. BURRILL, of H. W. KNOWLES. Corinna.

A true copy. Attest,

F. S. MACOMBER, an inhabitant of Corinna.

The Municipal Officers of Corinna herewith submit their annual report for the fiscal year ending March 1st, 1905.

# Assessors' Department.

# VALUATION.

VALUA	HON.
Resident real estate,	\$ 314,055 00
Non-resident real estate,	23,425 00
Resident personal estate,	\$ 337,480 00 \$ 77,888 00
Non-resident personal estate,	1,400 00
	\$ 79,288 00
Total,	\$ 416,768 00
AMOUNTS APPROPR March 1	
To defray town charges,	
	\$ 1,200 00
For support of the poor,	300 00
support of common schools,	•
instruction in a free High sc	
maintenance of a free High s	school, 100 00
To purchase school books,	275 00
repair school buildings and	d sup-
plies,	250 00
purchase books for Stewart	
Library,	50 00
repair Stewart Library build	,
•	

For J. Knowle Post for Memorial day,	25 00
State road,	400 00
roads and bridges in summer,	1,000 00
roads in winter,	800 00
care of cemeteries,	100 00
sidewalks,	200 00
THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN	

Total,

\$ 6,350 00

## AMOUNTS ASSESSED.

Appropriations by the town, \$ 6,350	00
State tax, 1,262	53
County tax, 586	29
Overlays, 369	69

Total,

\$ 8,568 51

Amount assessed on real and personal

estate, \$ 7,668 51

Amount assessed on 300 polls at \$3.00,

900 00

Total,

\$ 8,568 51

Rate of taxation, \$.0184.

The above amount was duly committed to F. S. Macomber for collection April 30, 1904.

C. J. TRICKEY,
W. I. BURRILL,
H. W. KNOWLES.

# School Department.

# ORDERS DRAWN FOR TEACHERS.

SPRING TERM, 1904.

			,	,				
Order	82,	Della W. Veazie in	No.	2,	\$49	50		
	83,	Mamie Trefethen,	"	4,	49	50		
	84,	Mamie Williams,	"	8,	49	50		
	85,	Mabel Knowles,	4 6	9,	49	50		
	86,	Lilla E. Wood,	"	5,	49	50		
	88,	Della M. Bemis,	"	7,	81	OO		
	- 9,	Grace B. Ross,	"	7,	67	50		
	92,	Ethel Burrill,	"	7,	S	00		
	93,	Susan Hall,	"	3,	24	00		
		Inez M. Knowles,	"	7,	8	00		
		Viola Shepherd,	"	ΙΙ,	49	50		
	102,	Elizabeth Knowles,	"	9,		00		
							\$ 530	50
		FALL TE	RM.					
Order	208,	Della Bemis :1	No.	7,	\$85	50		
	209,	Grace B. Ross	"	9,	_	50		
	210,	Mrs. G. A. Tibbitts	5, "	7,	72	-		
	211,	Mrs. Vertine Ellis,	"	10,	49	50		
	213,	Della Veazie,	"	2,	49			
	214,	Cora Walker,	"	3,	_	25		
	215,	Mabel Knowles,	"	,		50		
		Mamie Williams,	"	8,		50		
	227,	Viola Shepherd,	"	,		50		
	251,	Edna Burgess,	"	4,		00		
		,		1,	,,			

## WINTER TERM.

Order 280,	Della M. Bemis, in No. 7,	\$58 50
302,	John A. Burton, "7,	19 50
303,	Mamie Williams, "8,	46 00
304,	Della Veazie, "2,	46 00
305,	Viola Shepherd, "11,	46 00
306,	Mrs. Vertine Ellis, "10,	46 00
307,	Mabel Knowles, "5,	46 00
308,	Mrs. G. A. Tibbitts, ", 7,	70 00
326,	Grace B. Ross, "9,	28 75
336,	Town of Exeter, for tuition,	20 00

\$ 426 75

Total,

\$ 1,505 00

## ORDERS DRAWN FOR CONVEYING SCHOLARS.

# SPRING TERM.

Order 76, Robie White, to No. 7, \$36 00 79, Clarence Clark, "11, 20 00 116, Frank Proctor, "10, 2 60 120, F. E. Willey, "10, 4 00 124, S. I. Chase, "5, 36 00

\$ 98 60

# FALL TERM.

Order 218,	Robie White, to	No.	7,	\$36	00
224,	Clarence Clark,	" "	II,	22	50
226,	S. I. Chase,	"	5,	45	00
233,	Clyde Proctor,	6 6		3	00
234,	John Willey,	6.6		5	25

# WINTER TERM.

		WINIER LEGIS.			
Order	300,	F. E. Willey, to No. 10,	\$14 80	)	
	310,	Robie White, "7,	32 00	)	
	311,	George Knowles, "5,	40 00	)	
	314,	Ira Eveleth, "11,	32 00	)	
	318,	Horace Dearborn, "3,	28 00	)	
	322,	Frank Proctor,	1 20	)	
				-	
				\$ 148 0	00
	т	lotal		# 250	
		otal,	NUTOB	\$ 358 3	55
		RDERS DRAWN FOR JA	NITOR	S.	
Order	80,	Samuel Arnold, in No. 7,	\$2 50	)	
	81,	Garfield Tompkins, "7,	2 25	;	
	221,	Garfield Tompkins, "7,	2 25		
		Asa Hatch, "7,	2 25		
	274,	Leland Dearborn, "2,	03 2 50		
				-	
	Γ	otal,		\$ 11 7	75
		ORDERS DRAWN FOR	FUEL.		
Order	18,	Horace Dearborn, for No. 2,	\$12 29	;	
		C. J. Trickey, "11,			
	142,	J. B. Woodard, "3			
	225,	G. W. Hilliker, "7,		)	
	230,	F. A. Sawtelle, "4,		)	
	238,	A. M. Burton,	2 10		
	240,	E. S. Knowles, "5,	10 00	)	
	256,	William Clark, sawing wood	1,		
		for No. 7,	2 60	)	
	266,	L. B. Johnson, for No. 7	, 10 00		
	273,	E. L. Dearborn, No's.			
		and 10,	26 oc	)	
	362,	Frank Crowell, for No's. 8			
		and 9,	22 80	)	
	415,	G. F. Amazeen,	2 25	i	

436, E. S. Knowles, 438, T. F. Burrill,  COMMON SCHOOL A  DR.  To amount raised including int. of school fund note, amount of school fund and mill to	on \$1,200 00
	(Å 2 222 Pa
CR.	\$ 2,000 89
By amount paid teachers,	\$1,505 CO
" " for conveyance,	358 35
" " janitors,	11 75
" " fuel,	134 15
" overdrawn in 1903,	3 32
in the second se	\$ 2,012 57
Overdrawn,	\$ 11 <b>68</b>
Overdrawn, SCHOOL BOOK AC	*
	*
SCHOOL BOOK AC	COUNT.
SCHOOL BOOK AC	COUNT.
SCHOOL BOOK ACDR.  To amount appropriated by the town unexpended last year,	COUNT.
SCHOOL BOOK ACDR.  To amount appropriated by the town	\$275 00 5 04
SCHOOL BOOK ACDR.  To amount appropriated by the town unexpended last year,  Amount to expend,	\$ 280 04
DR.  To amount appropriated by the town unexpended last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school b Order 27, Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$275 00 5 04 
SCHOOL BOOK ACDR.  DR.  To amount appropriated by the town unexpended last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school b  Order 27, Edward E. Babb & Co.  28, Silver, Burdett & Co., (1)	\$275 00 5 04 
SCHOOL BOOK AC  DR.  To amount appropriated by the town unexpended last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school b  Order 27, Edward E. Babb & Co.  28, Silver, Burdett & Co., (1)  purchased in 1903)	\$275 00 5 04 
SCHOOL BOOK ACDR.  DR.  To amount appropriated by the town unexpended last year,  Amount to expend,  CR.  By orders drawn for school b  Order 27, Edward E. Babb & Co.  28, Silver, Burdett & Co., (1)	CCOUNT.  1, \$275 00

46, 66, 67, 68, 160, 252, 253, 254, 332, 333, 383, 457,	Edward E. Babb & Co., Edward E. Babb & Co., American Book Co., Thompson, Brown & Co., Thompson, Brown & Co., D. Appleton & Co., Thompson, Brown & Co., Edward E. Babb & Co., Edward E. Babb & Co., Edward E. Babb & Co., American Book Co., Ginn & Company,	9 47 5 16 17 32 71 9 17 62	15 46 37 76 20 50 80 18 79 20 33 18			
				\$	420	86
SUPPLIES	Overdrawn, S AND REPAIRS ON SCHO	OL I	BUI	\$ LD	140 ING:	
	DR.					
Amount ap	propriated by the town,	\$250	00			
un	expended last year,	I	82			
	Amount to expend,			\$	251	82
	CR,					
Ву с	orders drawn as follows:					
Order 29,	T. F. Burrill, lumber, bill of					
•	1903,	\$28	73	•		
42,	Elwin Grant, conveying					
	teacher,	I	50			
45,	Edward E. Babb & Co.,		- (			
65,	school supplies, Edward E. Babb & Co.,	15	56			
05,	school supplies, 1903,	0	4 I			
99,	George A. Tibbitts, repairs of		4 1			
,,,	buildings,	47	77			
205,						
	A. J. Cook, labor and materia	il, 18	05			
275,	A. J. Cook, labor and materia Clarence Campbell, lumber		-			

290,	H. L., Burrill, repairs, nails,			
	etc., 14 00			
297,	George A. Tibbitts, labor and			
	material, 14 97			
298,	A. M. Knowles, express and			
	freight, 1903, 2 30			
301,	J. E. Gray, pails, glass, etc., 4 46			
320,	Geo. A. Tibbitts, cash paid for			
	repairs, 6 10			
387,	Shaw Business College, diplo-			
	mas for 1902, 4 40			
388,	Will I. Burrill, stationery, et ., 5 03			
431,	F. E. Day, paint, 2 75			
		\$ 2	2 I	83
	Unexpended,	\$	29	99
	HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.			
	DR.			
To amount	appropriated for instruction, \$350 00			
	" for maintenance, 100 00			
	received from C. U. Academy, 607 26			
	received from the State, 125 00			
	unexpended March 1, 1904, 203 25			
. 0	due from the State, 125 00			
		\$1,5	10	5 1
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By	orders drawn as follows:			
Order 7,	Charlotte Jennison, teach-			
2.4	ing, \$ 48 00			
34,	Merle Crowell, janitor work, 8 25			
40,	Howard & Brown, diplomas, 8 55			
44,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching, 88 ∞			
47,	L. Whitney Elkins, teaching, 216 70			

48,	" supplies,	I	15
169,	" teaching,	40	00
183,	" " "	40	00
192,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	62	50
207,	L. Whitney Elkins, teaching,	80	00
212,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	50	00
250,	L. Whitney Elkins, teaching,	80	00
265,	L. B. Johnson, fuel,	10	00
267,	Harry M. Nutter, janitor		
	work,	15	00
268,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	87	50
271,	L. Whitney Elkins, teaching,	80	00
321,	L. Whitney Elkins, teaching,	80	00
323,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	50	00
337,	Guy C. Nutter, janitor work,	5	00
363,	F. H. Crowell, fuel,	7	60
403,	H. J. Goulding, crayons,		60
416,	G. F. Amazeen, wood,	13	50
435,	E. S. Knowles, wood,	5	20
437,	T. F. Burrill, wood,	5	00
422,	L. Whitney Elkins, post-		
	age, etc.,		98
458,	L. Whitney Elkins, teaching,		
459,	Charlotte Jennison, teaching,	50	00

\$1,214 53

# Unexpended,

\$ 295 98

# SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN FOR THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Support of common schools,	\$ 2,009	25
" " High school,	1,214	53
School books,	420	86
Repairs and supplies,	22 I	83

# Highway Department.

# SUMMER ROADS.

		SUMMER ROADS		
Order	. 33,	W. J. Philbrick, lumber,	\$ 13	00
	36,	I. E. Shorey, "		00
	39,	George Randall, labor,	3	00
	50,	S. H. Whitman, "	2	55
	55,	H. J. Seavey, "	15	00
	56,	Harry Burrill, lumber,	5	50
	59,	Clyde Burrill, labor,	I	50
	60,	Albert Fernald, "	2	00
	61,	Geo. Crowell, "	2	OO
	69,	W. K. Jones, "	5	00
	70,	Will Edgerly, "	6	OO
	71,	H. J. Seavey, "	21	75
	72,	G. S. Bush,	21	Со
	73,	Will Cole, "	8	00
	74,	G. L. Fassett, "	3	
	75,	Charles Erskins, "	80	50
	78,	George A. Tibbitts, "	26	00
	87,	W. W. Hardy, "	3 I	50
	90,	Geo. Randall, "	I	00
	94,	H. L. Burrill, repairs to		
~		road machine,	19	27
	96,	Will Edgerly, labor,		35
	103,	William Clark, "	6	75
	105,	Fred Ordway, "	22	35
	107,	G. L. Gould, "	104	
	108,	Horace Dearborn, "		25
	110,	Will Cole, "	10	50
	III,	H. J. Seavey, "	14	25
	113,	G. B. Fisher, labor and		
		supplies,		00
	114,	F. E. Day, supplies,	•	10
	115,	John McPherson, labor,	44	OÓ.

117,	C. C. Crowell and	l others,	
	labor,		5 25
119,	Lewis Fenderson,	labor,	4 75
121,	Mark Bond,	"	51 55
122,	1. M. Barker and	others,	
	labor,		6 50
123,	F. W. Hill,	labor,	12 00
139,	William Clark,	"	3 00
141,	Everett Simpson	and oth-	
	ers, labor,		4 50
143,	H. L. Burrill, lat	or and	
	supplies,		8 19
144,	F. B. Shaw, Jr., a	nd oth-	
	ers, labor,	3	2 50
146,	Charles Lander,	labor,	7 87
159,	S. R. Brown,	"	3 50
167,	John Katen,	"	. 5 00
171,	I. R. Shorey,	"	4 90
172,	Fred Sawtelle,	"	3 50
175,	T. F. Burrill,	"	44 60
178,	Horace Dearborn,	"	3 00 -
179,	F. L. Harmon,	"	3 50
180,	J. H. Shepherd,	" .	14 63
182,	J. H. Shepherd,	"	8 50
191,	Mark Bond,	"	57 00
217,	H. J. Seavey,	"	21 00
223,	A. Boyington,	"	5 00
263,	Mark Bond,	"	40 80
270,	1. E. Shorey,	"	5 00
279,	C. Copeland,	"	69 00
282,	H. W. Knowles,	"	5 00
283,	Fred Ordway,	" "	5 00
286,	Frank Burton,	"	11 50
291,	J. E. Gray, sewer	pipe,	2 24
300,	H. W. Knowles,	labor,	36 50
316,	Horace Bigelow,	"	17 50

	324,	E. L. Seavey and others,				
		labor,	IO	50		
	353,	O. T. Percival, labor,	5	00		
	357,	T. F. Burrill, lumber,	6	62		
	441,	I. R. Shorey, watering tub,	3	00		
				\$	1,009 37	
	HIC	GHWAY ACCOUNT FOR	SUM	MER	•	
		DR.				
		ppropriated by the town, \$				
an	iount i	inexpended in 1903,	I 2	78		
		-				
		0.5		\$	1,012 78	
D	4	CR.		.4		
By an	iount	of orders drawn,		\$	1,009 37	
	J	Jnexpended,		\$	3 41	
		WINTER ROADS.				
Order	4,	W. J. Hall, labor and sand,	\$ 1	00		
Oraci	12,	A. Lawrence and others,	₩ 4	00		
	12,	labor,	10	63		
	13,	A. Boyington and others,	10	٠		
	- ),	labor,	4	53		
4	14,	A. C. Smith, labor,		60		
	15,	Grant Veazie, "		90		
	16,	I. M. Bates and others, "		35		
	19,	L. B. Hatch and others,	,	7,5		
	,	labor,	3	95		
	20,	Mark Bond, labor,		75		
	21,	F. E. Willey, "		00		
	23,	J. B. Woodard and oth-				
f P	,	ers, labor,	12	50		
·	25,	P. M. Hall and others,		,		
	•	labor,	I	<i>7</i> 5		
	30,	I. M. Barker and others,		. ,		
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	labor,	17	65
31,	Frank Burton, labor,	5	25
35,	C. C. Crowell and others,		
	labor,	7	00
37,	F. L. Titcomb, labor,	9	40
38,	Horace Dearborn, "	8	76
51,	Wm. Thompson, "	4	42
53,	Horace Dearborn and oth-		
	ers, labor,	5	08
58,	C. A. Cooley, labor,	4	62
62,	Wm. Smith, "	I	80
63,	Granville Hayden, "	7	70
106,	G. W. Davis, "	I	05
118,	Lewis Fenderson, "	5	25
127,	Omer Southard, "	I	00
181,	J. H. Shepherd, "	6	75
287,	J. Augustine, "		00
315,	J. W. Kimball, "	9	OI
338,	John Katen and others,		
	labor,	23	44
339,	G. W. Davis, labor,	ΙI	65
340,	F. A. Sawtelle, "	16	35
341,	L. W. Puffer and others,		
	labor,	63	90
342,	Frank Crowell, labor,	ΙI	95
343,	Willard Carr, "	6	23
344,	A. Lawrence and others,		
	labor,	55	32
345,	J. Bane and others, labor,	38	80
346,	E. L. Seavey, "	25	43
347,	Stephen Lincoln, "	18	85
348,	R. S. Knowles, "	18	25
349,	Horace Dearborn and oth-		
	ers, labor,	50	20
350,	Mark Bond, labor,	18	20
351,	O. T. Percival, "	15	
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<b>352</b> ,	E. M. Atkins, "	24	97
354,	L. Robinson and others,		
	labor,	26	18
355,	W. H. Mower and others,		
	labor,	31	72
356,	L. B. Hatch, labor,	27	80
358,	T. F. Burrill, "	14	56
359,	J. B. Woodard and others,		
	labor,	81	55
360,	E. S. Knowles, labor,	9	85
361,	C. C. Knowles, "	4	90
364,	F. L. Weed and others, "	40	10
365,	W. J. Philbrick and oth-		
	ers, labor,	28	15
366,	E. E. Cole, labor,	29	84
367,	C. H. Lander, "	28	89
368,	W. I. Pipes,	25	80
369,	S. R. Brown, "	22	52
370,	John McPherson, "	4	55
371,	O. W. Ireland, "	7	73
372,	G. E. Hayden and others,		
	labor,	47	OO
373,	J. H. Shepherd, labor,	12	25
374,	F. E. Gardner, "	23	80
375,	H. J. Seavey and others,		
	labor,	22	2 I
376,	G. F. Thurston and oth-		
	ers, labor,	76	97
377,	I. M. Barker and others,	<b>.</b> .	
0.=0	labor,	53	34
378,	I. M. Bates and others, labor,	23	70
270	Frank Proctor, labor,	7	10
379, 380,	C. C. Crowell and others,	/	.0
,00,	labor,	24	00
381,	C. A. Cooley and others,		
, ,	labor,	43	64

382,	C. F. Davis,	labor,	28	80			
384,	E. B. Melvin,	"	2	80			
385,	A. Boyington,	"	14	81			
386,	Grant Veazie,	4.6	37	94			
391,	F. M. Burton and	others,					
	labor,		27	30			
398,	P. H. Simpson,	labor,	30	73			
405,	1. E. Shorey,	"	17	80			
406,	Chas. Knowles,	"	16	80			
410,	Geo. H. Cooley,	6.6	I	65			
417,	F. H. Bridges,	"	3	85			
421,	C. H. Lander and	others,	-	-			
	labor,		6	58			
427,	W. H. Cole,	labor,	3	05			
451,	C. F. Davis,	"	13	25			
452,		"	16	85			
460,		"		75			
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700	DR.						
	appropriated by the t						
amount	unexpended in 1903,	•	29	OI			
	CD				\$	829	OI
D 4	CR.						
By amount	of orders drawn,				I	,533	02
	0						
1	Overdrawn,				\$	704	OI
	STATE R	OAD.					
	DR.						
To amount a	appropriated by the	town			ď	400	00
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	CD						
Order	CR.		ж .				
· ·	CR. Omer Southard, George Bush,			25 00			

129, Charles Lander, 26 25	
131, Harold Tibbitts, 3 50	ı
132, E. S. Knowles, 15 oc	
133, Fred Ordway, 10 50	•
134, Will Edgerly, 9 00	•
135, Geo. A. Tibbetts, 40 00	•
137, W. H. Patten, 2 25	
147, John Farnham, 14 25	
149, E. H. Burgess, 3 50	
154, H. J. Seavey, 23 25	
155, Grant Veazie, 13 12	
156, Arah Southard, 15 75	
158, John McPherson, 21 50	
166, Mark Bond, 41 78	
168, H. A. Bigelow, gravel, 5 60	
173, H. W. Knowles, 21 50	
174, T. F. Burrill, 80 50	
278, C. Copeland, 22 50	
284, Will Edgerly, 6 oo	
285, Horace Dearborn, 21 00	
	\$ 405 00
	# 40 J 00
Overdrawn,	\$ 5 00
Received from the State, \$ 200 00	
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SIDEWALK.	
DR.	
To amount appropriated by the town,	\$ 200 00
CR.	
Order 91, Roy Burton, labor, \$ 3 00	
101, P. M. Hall, "16 25	
130, George Bush, " 3 oc	)
138, W. I. Randlett, 191 yds.	
concrete walk, 124 15	
145, W. I. Burrill, cash paid	
for labor, 3 75	

187,	H. J. Goulding, cash paid	
	for labor,	11 00
199,	Geo. A. Shepherd, labor,	3 00
200,	H. A. Bigelow, gravel for	
	walk,	10 25
206,	T. F. Burrill, labor,	21 00
228,	Almon Lawrence "	4 00
231,	R. S. Knowles, "	13 00
236,	H. W. Knowles, "	6 75
237,	L. B. Hatch, "	5 00
395,	W. I. Burrill, cash paid	
	for labor,	5 28

\$ 229 43

## Overdrawn,

\$ 29 43

Orders drawn for repairs to village sewer, made necessary by building of Grist mill.

2 2	0				
Order 164,	Albert Sutton,	labor,	\$	4	50
165,	Frank Sutton,	4.6		4	50
170,	P. M. Hall,	"	2	21	50
188,	L. G. Shepherd,	"		4	50
229,	Almon Lawrence,	"	. 2	20	33
232,	R. S. Knowles,	"		6	00
235,	Clyde Burrill,	"		9	75
239,	H. W. Knowles,	"	2	26	75
241,	E. S. Knowles,	"	1	0	00
247,	P. H. Simpson, sto	ne,		9	85
248,	B. S. Knowles,	labor,		7	00
249,	J. B. Ross,	"		4	00
264,	G. H. Young,	"		4	50
327,	F. L. Redman,	"		5	00
330,	W. I. Wood, use of	derrick			
	and labor,		]	17	90
396,	W. I. Burrill, cas	sh paid			
	out for labor,			3	25

426, H. L. Burrill, sharpening drills, 2 90
427, A. R. Blaisdell, labor, 2 00

\$ 164 23

# SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN IN THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Expended on	summer roads,	\$1,009 37
on	winter roads,	1,533 02
on	State road,	405 00
on	sidewalk,	229 43
on	village sewer,	164 23

\$ 3,341 05

# Department of Overseers of Poor.

Order	9,	F. E. Day, casket and robe, account of Sarah				
	10	Babb, \$ Rev. J. A. Weed, attend-	16	00		
	10,	ing funeral of Sarah				
		Babb,	3	00		
	II,	C. W. White, digging				
		grave for Sarah Babb,		00		
				\$	23	00
	112,	Mrs. S. F. Lander, board	,			
	0	of Ernest Coulliard, \$	513	50.		
	418,	Mrs. S. F. Lander, board				
		of Ernest Coulliard,	12	75	~6	~ ~
	150	Dr E I Padman mad	-		20	25
	153,	Dr. F. L. Redman, medical attendance of Alice				
		J. Carson,			20	60
	180	T. J. Rogers, supplies			20	00
	109,	furnished John Dear-				
		born,			5	70
	198.	W. I. Burrill, cash paid			,	, -
	,	on account of Susan P.				
		Young,			32	00
	317,	C. J. Trickey, cash paid				
		on account of Frank				
		Moody, \$	510	IO		
	331,	Town of Wellington,				
		medical attendance of				
		Frank Moody,	37	50		
	455,	Town of Wellington,				
		medical attendance of				
		Frank Moody,	ΙΙ	25	- 0	0 =
					58	85

392,	E. E. Knowles, supplie	S	
	furnished A. B. Gould	1, 3	03
444,	W. I. Burrill, cash pai		
1117	for board of tramps,		40
	ioi coma oi dampe,		<del></del> \$174 83
52,	A. W. Lander, board of	of	" <b>, ,</b> ,
	paupers,	\$17	50
445,	A. W. Lander, board of	of	
	paupers,	Ç	20
			'26 70
			\$201 53
A	CCOUNT WITH A. V CR.	V. LANDEF	₹.
By board of	Mary Harmon 52 weeks	s at	
\$2.50	-41		\$ 130 00
	DR.		
To orders dr		\$ 26 70	
rent of fa	ırm,	90 00	•
			\$ 116 70
			\$ 116 70
В	Balance due March 1, 19	05,	\$ 13 30
SUP	PORT OF THE POO	R ACCOU	TV
	DR.		•
To amount ra	aised by the town,	\$ 300 00	
	received of Ellsworth,	ac-	
cđunt	of S. P. Young,	32 00	
amount u	nexpended March 1, 19	04, 88 91	
	eceived for rent of town		
farm,		90 00	
			\$ 510 91
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By amount of	of orders drawn,	\$ 201 53	
•	aid by rent of farm,	90 00	
	,		
			\$ 291 53
1	Inevnended		¢ 210 28
C	Inexpended,		\$ 219 38

# Selectmen's Department.

## MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Order	8,	E. F. Dillingham, blank		
		books, \$	8	15
	17,	G. C. Furber, printing re-		
		ports 1904,	31	50
	26,	A. M. Burton, census of		
		scholars,	ΙI	00
	54,	G. W. Hilliker, Memorial		
		day,	25	00
	100,	M. A. Wingate, repairs to		
		road machine,	4	25
	140,	G. W. Fogg, hearse har-		
		ness,	40	00
	151,	A. M. Burton, exp., tel.,		
		telephones, etc.,	7	72
	196,	W. S. Page, part payment		
		of order No. 316,	325	00
	219,	A. M. Burton, exp., post-		
		age, etc.,	5	80
	243,	Clyde Burrill, ballot clerk,	3	00
	244,	F. C. Young, "	3	00
	245,	W. A. Copeland, "	3	00
	246,	R. W. Quimby, "	3	00
	389,	W. I. Burrill, recording in-		
		ventory,	8	00
	390,	E. P. Ireland, driving		
		hearse,	27	00
	399,	C. T. Moses, post., station-		
		ery, justice fees,	3	39
	401,	C. T. Moses, recording		
		births, deaths, etc.,	7	05
	402,	J. H. Shepherd, deeding		
		cemetery lots.	18	00

414,	W. I. Burrill, keeping town		
	books,	50 00	
419,	F. L. Redman, returning		
	births and deaths,	3 50	
420,	F. L. Redman, services on		
	board of health,	2 70	
425.	J. H. Winchester, services	•	
1 2,	on board of health,	6 00	
446.	W. I. Burrill, post., sta'y,		
77-)	exp., etc.,	8 04	
450	F. S. Macomber, posting	0 04	
4,0,	warrants,	5 00	
452	F. S. Macomber, special	, 00	
453,		2 00	
	police,	2 00	
529,	Mary A. Seavey, part pay-		
	ment of order No. 420,	<i>75</i> 00	
			\$ 686 10

## TOWN OFFICERS.

Order	2,	W. A. Copeland, mod-		
		erator,	\$ 2	00
	43,	A. M. Burton, super-		
		visor, \$32	<i>7</i> 5	
	77,	A. M. Burton, super-		
		visor, 17	25	
	150,	A. M. Burton, super-		
		visor, 20	00	
	404,	A. M. Burton, super-		
		visor, 30	00	
			\$100	00
	400,	C. T. Moses, clerk and		
		treasurer,	40	00
	411,	C. J. Trickey, select-		
		man,	100	00
	412,	W. I. Burrill, selectman,	75	00

413,				
	man,		65 (	00
443,			6	20
448,	officer, F. S. Macomber, col-		6 (	30
440,	lector,		128	- 2
	ice tor,			
				\$516 52
ORDERS	DRAWN ON ACCOU PROTECTION.	INT	OF	FIRE
Order 148,	D. M. Parks, hand tub, \$	150	00	
194,	Combination Ladder Co.,			
4	hose,	243	00	
201,	Me. Central R. R. Co.,			
	freight on pipe,	45	22	
257,	J. E. Gray, cash paid fght.			
	and exp.,	7	79	
258,	Builders Iron Foundry,			
	pipe fittings,	14	40	
259,	National Lead Co., bar lead,	16	77	
260,	Walworth Manufacturing		//	
222,	Co., pipe,	206	88	
261,	Coffin Valve Co., gates			
	and hydrants,	109		
277,	H. A. Bigelow, gravel,		00	
292,	J. E. Gray, pails, rope, etc.,	-	45	
313,	W. L. Gordon, labor,		52	
335,	Coffin Valve Co., gates,	7	00	
439,	T. F. Burrill, labor and material,	E 1	40	
447,	Town of Dexter, force	54	40	
77/)	pump,	125	00	
Hirad as par	vote of town at special meet	ina	\$	1,017 43
rined as per	vote of town at special meet	.mg,		1,200 00
l	Jnexpended,		\$	182 57

### CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

#### DR.

To amount appropriated by the town, \$ 100 00 amount unexpended March 1, 1904, 79 OI

\$ 179 01 CR. J. B. Tibbitts, painting, Order 184, \$ 19 26 E. S. Knowles, labor and 242, material, 26 70 Lewis Gould, labor, 262, 2 50 Elmer E. Cole, labor and 299, material, 26 20 E. N. Dunning, labor, 3 00 407, 77 66 Unexpended, \$ 101 35 TOWN FARM BILLS. F. L. Harmon, fertilizer, Order 276, \$ 21 00 J. E. Gray, pump, etc., 294, 7 49 E. E. Knowles, grass seed, 8 25 393, \$ 36 74 LIBRARY BUILDING. Order J. H. Winchester, salary, \$ 25 00 3, J. H. Winchester, 24, 25 00 Geo. Cochrane, wood, 32, 130 00 J. H. Winchester, salary, 25 00 49, J. H. Winchester, 57, 25 00 J. H. Winchester,

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75 00

104,

125,

157,

176,

185.

J. H. Winchester,

J. H. Winchester,

Geo. C. Furber, printing,

J. P. Curtis, insurance,

204, J. H. Winchester, salary, 25 00 255, J. H. Winchester, "25 00 272, J. H. Winchester, "25 00 293, J. E. Gray, lamp chimneys, etc., 5 53 295, J. H. Winchester, salary, 25 00 296, Estate of L. F. Ireland, electric lights, 31 65 319, F. E. Knowles, oil, 5 11 325, J. H. Winchester, salary, 25 00 394, W. I. Burrill, cash paid for toilet paper, 1 85 440, T. F. Burrill, for water, 12 00 454, Ireland Bros. Co., electric lights, 14 50 328, Lewis Hutchins, electric lights, 25 75  CR.  By cash received for rent of hall, 93 50	255,		75 00	
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	pairs,	2	50			
202,	Herman Goldberger, mag-					
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203,	Perry, Mason & Co., paper,	I	25			
288,	F. J. Barnard & Co., bind-					
,	ing books,	14	Ι3			
281,	E. F. Dillingham, books,		67			
289,	Desmond Publishing Co.,	7-	- /			
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## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

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Order 5,	A. R. Blaisdell, error in	
	listing tax of l. P. Chase, \$10 25	
6,	A. R. Blaisdell, poll tax of	
	A. S. Libby of '02 paid	
	in Waldoboro, 3 00	
449,	F. S. Macomber, taxes of	
	C. A. Greenwood, \$36 80	
	W. H. Holt, error, 74	
	E. M. Seavey, paid in Rip-	
	ley, 3 74	
	E. L. Melvin, paid in Exe-	
	ter, 3 00	
	44 28	
	\$17.5	,
	\$57 5	3
1N	TEREST-BEARING ORDERS PAID.	
Order 59,	of 1903, Hattie A. Cooley, \$ 725 00	
91,	of 1903, Abner Brooks, 400 00	
349,	of 1904, Harriet M. Briggs, 307 00	
358,	of 1904, Omer Southard, 200 00	
406,	of 1904, G. W. Nutter, 800 00	
269,	of 1904, Lewis Hutchins, 200 00	
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	\$ 2,632 0	Ю
	INTEREST PAID ON ORDERS.	
Order 1,	C. T. Moses, interest paid	
2, 1,	orders 91, 349, 358, 406, \$ 9 57	
197,	W. S. Page, interest on	
,,,	order 316, 16 08	
408,	Hattie A. Cooley, interest	
	on order 59, 36 69	
428,	Mary A. Seavey, interest	
	on order 420, 6 90	
433,	Mary Nickerson, interest	
456,	on order 280, 9 18 Lewis Hutchins, interest	
450,		
	on order 269, 1 35	
	\$ 70.7	77

## OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

190	04.			
Feb.	Ι3,	Order 288, Ida M. Page \$	300	00
	20,	355, Mary M. Burrill,	100	00
	20,	369, Sarah P. Dodge,	950	00
June	25,	95, W. S. Page,	200	00
July	9,	109, O. H. Bachelder	200	00
Aug.	23,	136, Mrs. D. W. Burrill,	400	00
Sept.	3,	163, Harry P. Burrill,	100	00
	30,	193, O. H. Bachelder,	500	00
Oct.	7,	195, W. S. Page,	500	00
	29,	220, Moses Page,	300	00
190	5.			
Feb.	20,	409, Hattie A. Cooley,	800	00
	20,	430, Mary A. Seavey,	125	00
	20,	434, Mary E. Nicker-		
		son,	300	00

\$ 4,775 00

## Interest bearing debt,

\$ 4,775 00

## SUMMARY OF ORDERS DRAWN.

School department,	\$3,866	47
Highway department,	3,341	05
Overseers of the poor department,	201	5.3
Miscellaneous expenses,	686	Ю
Town officers,	516	52
Fire protection,	1,017	43
Cemetery account,	77	66
Town farm bills,	36	74
Library building,	686	61
Library books,	I 37	76
Library building repairs,	103	16
Abatement of taxes,	5 <i>7</i>	53
Interest bearing orders,	3,625	00

Interest paid on orders,	79	77		
Amount of these orders which are outstanding at interest,		<b>*</b>	14,433 3,425	
Orders drawn and paid by treasurer, Outstanding orders paid by treasurer,		\$	11,008	
Amount of orders turned over by treasur LIABILITIES.	er,	\$	13,440	33
	,775 70			
		\$	4,845	00
RESOURCES.				
Due from the State for Free High School, Due from the State Porcupine Bounty,	,226 125 24 ,200	00		
		#	2,576	59
	620 ,268	7 <i>7</i>	5 2,268	4I
Increase for past year, \$ 1 C. J. TRICK WILL I. BU H. W. KNO	,647 EY, RRILI WLES	64	Selectm of Corinn	nen a,

## Treasurer's Report.

C. T. Moses, Treasurer in account with the Town of Corinna for the year ending March 1st, 1905.

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	2,902	
school fund note,	1,174	93
cash received, State Treasurer Dog licenses		0
refunded,	66	08
G. W. Nutter I wagon, A. Chase		
property,		00
Town of Exeter, highway account,		97
State account Free Library,		26
W. S. Page, money hired,	200	00
O. H. Bachelder, money hired,	200	00
State account, free High school,	125	00
Town clerk, dog licenses, 1904,	98	00
Mrs. Stephen Burrill, money hired,	400	00
Harry Burrill, money hired,	100	00
O. H. Bachelder, money hired,	500	OO
City of Ellsworth, acc't. Susan Young,	32	00
Moses Page, money hired,	300	00
L. Hutchins, money hired,	200	00
Corinna Union Academy,	607	26
State treasurer, State road,	200	00
Railroad and Telegraph Tax,	33	96
School Fund and Mill Tax,	800	89
State treasurer, Soldiers Pensions,		
1904,	84	00
sale village cemetery lots,	36	00
Hattie A. Cooley, money hired,	800	00
F. S. Macomber, Coll., 1904 tax in		
	8,568	5 I
F. W. Hayden, A. Chase farm,	225	-
Trustees Library Building,	162	
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\$ 17,883 42

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By amount paid on orders,	\$ 13,440	33
paid State tax in ful!,	1,262	53
paid County tax in full,	586	29
paid State treasurer, dog licences,	98	00
paid State treasurer, soldier's pen-		
sions, 1904,	84	00
paid bounty on porcupines,	10	50
school fund note,	1,174	93
cash on hand,	1,226	84

Respectfully submitted,
C. T. MOSES, Treasurer.

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## Librarian's Report.

TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE STEWART FREE LIBRARY.

Gentlemen:—The sixth annual report of the Stewart Free Library, showing its condition and increase since March, 1904, is respectfully submitted to your Board.

Owing to the large number of names on our books which would never be used again the cards were rewritten, commencing August 27, just previous to the school year. Since that time 293 cards have been issued.

There has been collected for fines, \$9.16; for out-of-town cards, \$1.00.

### CONDITION OF THE LIBRARY.

Number of volumes March 1, 1903, 4007; number March 1, 1905, 4170, making an increase of 163. 77 of these were received from the State and Government Departments, 7 were donated, 17 were obtained by binding the magazines and periodicals and the remainder were purchased from the book fund. A recent inventory shows that the one book mentioned in the previous reports is the only one ever accessioned which cannot be accounted for.

The books added were classified as follows.

General works,		
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Philosophy,		
Sociology,		
Natural Science,		
Useful Arts,		
Fine Arts,		
Miscellaneous,		
Poetry,		
Fiction,		
Geography and Travel,		
Biography,		
History,		

### REPAIRING AND BINDING.

A large number of books have been repaired by the librarian during the year. 27 have been rebound and about that number need to go to the bindery at the present time.

### CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION.

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General works,										352
Philosophy,										10
Religion,										42
Sociology,										58
Philology,										6
Natural Science,										68
Useful Arts,										28
Fine Arts,										40
Poetry,										43
Miscellaneous, .										94
Fiction,										3727
Geography and I										106
Biography,										85
History,										
										4742
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### MAGAZINES.

There are now 95 volumes of magazines in the library, besides 3 bound volumes of the Youth's Companion." If you will note the table of circulation, you will see that the number of volumes under "General Works" is 352, while last year it was 266. The bound magazines are catalogued under this class and this increase of 33 per cent, when the general circulation has slightly fallen off, shows very plainly that this is an important department of the library. Realizing this fact, four new periodicals have been added this year, so that the list now comprises, Century, Harpers, McClures, St. Nicholas, Review of Reviews, Outlook, Success, World's Work, Technical World, Good Housekeeping and Holiday Magazine. Through an exchange 12 volumes of the Century have been received from the Fogg Memorial Library, South Berwick. We are yet in need of many odd numbers to complete our files. On page 16 of the "Bangor Commercial" of February 4, was a list of what we needed. of this list was filled by these received from South Berwick. Any one having any of the back numbers of any of the above mentioned magazines and are willing to donate them to the library will confer a great favor by conferring with the librarian.

### READING ROOM.

This room yet proves a valuable adjunct to the library, and is very much appreciated by its patrons. The "Eastern Gazette", The "Pittsfield Advertiser", Youth's Companion", "Saturday Evening Post", and the "Bangor Daily Commercial" comprise the reading matter which is constantly found on the tables, besides what is mentioned under the head of magazines. The stack in this room containing the reference books and bound magazines has become so crowded that another one is very much needed. The increased circulation in this department during the past year would seem to warrant this expenditure.

#### DONATIONS.

Our donations during the past year have been small. J. H. Bridge, the author, presented "The Inside History of the Carnegie Steel Co., which is an interesting volume. H. E. Butters of Exeter, presented two volumes of the school report and one volume of the agriculture of Maine, which we needed in our files.

### CONCLUSION.

Although in nearly every annual report I have urged a closer co-operation of the library with the schools yet I feel that this is a matter which should receive our constant attention. I have noted with much pleasure that the sentiment of many of our citizens is tast changing along this line and vet there is room for much improvement. The time when the library was regarded simply as a place for the amusement of the children and the older people is fast passing and the public at large are beginning to realize that the library is taking its place among all other educational institutions. Though silently, it is just as surely educating our people, as our Academy and the lower grades of our public schools. I trust that before the time comes for my next annual report we may be able to show long strides forward in this direction. One valuable addition to the library during the past year has been four volumes of the public laws between 1820 and 1840. Only six small phamplets are needed to complete the other four volumes for that period. Any one who can furnish them will help complete a valuable collection which can probably not be found in any public library in Maine. The missing ones are,—"Resolves" for 1839, Private Acts 1823, 1839. Public Laws, 1720, 1821, 1823.

All things in consideration the work for the past year has been satisfactory. Being deprived of the electric lights for six months was a serious drawback and was, I have no doubt, accountable for the slight dropping off in our circulation.

Respectfully submitted, J. H. WINCHESTER, Librarian.

## Report of Superintendent of Schools.

To the inhabitants of the town of Corinna:

My report for the year ending March 1st, 1905 is as follows:—

Statistics of the financial expenses may be found in the report of the Selectmen, all details incident to the duties of the Superintendent have been finished. The town at its last annual meeting voted the sum of \$1200 for schools, and \$800.89 was received from the state and there is now due from Dexter for tuition \$54.80 making \$2055.69 less \$3.32 overdrawn last year, leaving \$2052.37 available for the year ending March 1st, 1905. Comparing this with the year before when there was expended \$2454.19 or \$451.82 more that year than we have had the past year. The fuel bill that year was \$75.25 against \$134.15 this past year making \$58.90 more taken from the school money this past year than year before last. Year before last Dexter paid us \$96.25 for tuition.

#### TEXT BOOKS.

At the beginning of the school year I found the common school text books in bad condition, torn and worn and many gone. The town voted to raise \$275 for the purchase of text books, in the same meeting it was also voted to pay an unsettled bill of a year before of \$85.78 this with a bill of \$9.21 another of \$13.30 amounting to \$108.29 has been paid which left \$166.71

available. Of this \$146.10 has been expended for free high school text books leaving a balance of \$20.61 with which to purchase text books for the common schools. At the opening of the spring term of schools there were needed readers up to and including the third reader, arithmetics, advanced and elementary geographys grammars, U. S. Histories, spellers and other books. We repaired as many as we could and purchased as few as we could get along with. By vote of the school committee, bills of every kind prepared by me, had to be approved by them before being paid; this has been done.

### THE SCHOOLS.

I am glad to announce to you that I believe we have had prosperous schools, that teachers have done their best though some have not quite reached the degree hoped for, parents have usually co-operated with me and teachers.

### FREE HIGH SCHOOL,

This is the school where a person desiring a good education can, by honest effort, attain it. Excellent teachers, four year courses of study, unusually well arranged, and exceptionally well taught are conducive to this end. I know of no institution of a like grade where the facilities are better than here. Taking into consideration, too, the valuable library that the Stewart Free Library affords, where the students have free access to the most carefully selected volumes. Then again how little expense at educating the girls and boys at home compared with sending them abroad. Were it not for our high school but few would attend schools after leaving the common schools. We must not allow the high school to fall behind. I thank you all for the many courtesies received during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
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